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INDIVIDUALITY AND FEEDING.

By Purchasing or Breeding the Quality of Milk Must be Improved.

A few paragraphs under the subject of "Individuality and Feeding, in Milk Production," found in one of the correspondence courses prepared by the Pennsylvania State College, will give enlightenment to dairymen. This subject has long been discussed and many tests on it have been made, and the substance is found in the few lines below:

By individuality is meant all those inherited or inborn peculiarities which distinguish the cow as a milk producer from other cows, including both breed and individual difference. These qualities fix the capacity of the animal regarded as a milk producing machine. They set the limit to the amount of milk she can be made to produce, and practically determine its quality also.

It is quite commonly believed that the composition of milk, more particularly the percentage of fat, may be materially altered by feeding. A large number of careful experiments, however, have failed to show any particularly important effect of food on the composition of milk. Heavy feeding, especially with feeds rich in protein, tends to make the milk a little less watery, and thus to increase slightly the percentage of fat, and of the other ingredients as well. In a few cases, too, a special but rather slight effect on the fat content of the milk has been observed. Practically, however, the differences which can be produced in the composition of milk by changes in the feed are too small to be of any economic significance. The amount of milk produced by a herd can be affected within wide limits by the feeding, but a permanent change in its composition can only be brought about by a change in the make up of the herd, either by purchase or by breeding and selection.

Be the cow ever so good, she cannot produce milk unless supplied with sufficient and suitable food and given proper care. On scant feed and with bad handling, she will give little milk whatever the amount which she might produce. In other words, while individuality fixes the capacity of the cow, the amount of milk which she actually does give depends, within this limit, on her feeding and care.

Rev. R. B. Wolf Changes Location.

These items are from the October number of The Searchlight, issued by Dr. Andreas Bard, pastor of the First English Lutheran church, Kansas City, Missouri: "The news that the Rev. Mr. Wolf, of Kansas City, Kansas, has accepted a call to Colorado Springs and will leave the city after eight years of faithful service to his Lord and a career notable for its candor of character and purity of motive, will touch many hearts with genuine feelings of regret. We wish him abundant success in his new field, a spirit of courage amid his trials and a sense of humility amid his triumphs."

"Trinity Church sent to Synod by far the best report since its organization eight years ago. A total of $1,325 12 was raised by the mission last year. There was a net gain of eight in membership, all running expenses met and a morsel of three hundred dollars ground off the debt."

"E. J. Wolf, the courteous and competent cashier of the Night and Day Bank of Kansas City, Kansas, and an officer of Trinity, was unanimously reelected Treasurer of Synod."

She Finds Father Dead in Road.

The lifeless body of D. A. Dieffender, a prominent man, of near Mifflinburg, was found in the roadway not far from his home by his daughter, Minnie on Saturday. In the forenoon he had gone to a neighbor's house, and, not returning at the usual time, his daughter went in search of him, finding his body as above stated. He was evidently stricken with apoplexy.

Clean Up.

The borough authorities cannot longer afford to permit the rubbish in the diamond and along the streets to lie there to invite a suit for damage. The stuff was carried there by boys on Hallowe'en, but its presence is a menace and should be removed; besides all that it is unsightly and discredits the otherwise tidy appearance of the town.

The authorities, perhaps, take the view that in case of money loss through the antics of the boys, recovery can be made from them. This would be true if they were responsible parties, but a number of them are not. This shifts the responsibility. Clean up.

Lame back comes on suddenly and is extremely painful. It is caused by rheumatism of the muscles. Quick relief is afforded by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Sold by Murray & Bitner.

TRIAL LIST.

Civil Cases to Come Before Court and Jury During the December Session.

Appended is the trial list for the December court, which will open Monday, December 5th, and continue for two weeks.

FIRST WEEK.

Edward R. Chambers vs. Joseph Weist
W. H. Johnstonbaugh vs. M. E. and Gabriel Betz
Ernest Levy vs. Foster Weaver
Harvey Hoy vs. Benner Twp. Overseers
Henry Lowery vs. Louisa Lane

SECOND WEEK.

Penn Chemical Co. vs. Mary and Nancy Ammerman
Pearl C. Gray vs. Leonard Miller
James D. Seibert vs. J. H. Lingle
Emma C. Sankey vs. C. Dale, admr. D. W. Sankey
Mary Kauffman vs. Celia and Henry Mirbach
Gregg Twp. School District vs. Samuel Long Estate and R. P. and H. C. Campbell
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A. W. Swisher Estate vs. J. W. Bruss
J. B. Ard Estate vs. J. N. Everts
George B. Thompson vs. Bellefonte Central R. R. Co.
Morris Bohn vs. College Twp.
The Brunswick Balke Collender Co. vs. Edgar Sheffer
D. L. Kerr, use vs. W. T. Shirk and Edward Poorman
Oscar Duck heirs vs. James H. Duck Estate
W. F. Fredericks Piano Co. vs. Z. I. Woodring
Summit Clay M'f'g Co. vs. Teutonia Fire Insurance Co.
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania vs. Jeremiah and Manassah Aumiller

LOCALS.

Next Tuesday the deer season opens.

D. H. Shlegal, of Spring Mills, the plasterer, has completed his part of the work on the Mitterling dwelling house. He is now working in Brush Valley.

There will be a total eclipse of the moon Wednesday evening, November 16th. The eclipse will begin at 5:44 p. m. and is visible throughout this part of the country.

Mrs. Philip Saul was taken to the Bellefonte hospital last week, and this week she will undergo an operation. Mrs. Saul formerly lived near Centre Hall, but now lives in the vicinity of Lemont.

Hon. L. Rhone, of Centre Hall; Dr. A. G. Lieb and J. K. Bitner, of Spring Mills, will attend the sessions of the National Grange at Atlantic City, beginning Tuesday of next week and continuing during the following week

Samuel J. Rowe is putting in bath room fixtures in the residence of D. L. Kerr. Mr. Rowe has had large experience in this kind of work, and being located in Centre Hall he is able to take care of the job better than others.

A twenty-eight horse team is being used to convey some of the heaviest machinery to the site of the Raystown dam, near Huntingdon. An extra heavy wagon is used and it required four days to make one trip with the machinery.

Horses, cattle and hogs, sold at the W. H. Matter public sale, in Georges Valley, last week, brought very high prices. Milch cows and hogs sold at top figures. Mr. Matter is now in Lock Haven, where he will make his home for the present.

Wanted—Everyone in Centre Hall and vicinity to read the opening chapters of the new serial by Robert W. Chambers in the November number of Cosmopolitan Magazine. It is the greatest novel of the year and is illustrated by Charles Dana Gibson.

Friday of last week the first real snow fell this fall. There had been but very faint squalls before that date. The "beautiful" began falling softly Thursday night and by morning mother earth was covered with a beautiful mantle of white. During the morning there was a decided blast, with a mixture of snow.

Despite the numerous signs and notices posted in the railroad station, the post office, the trolley cars and on the street corners, warning people that it is against the law to spit in these places, the spitting continues, openly and boldly, and it really seems as if some of those who do spit do so in defiance of the law intentionally and not because they forget.

The laying of brick on Allegheny street, in Bellefonte, is progressing as rapidly as possible. That street is being paved under the new road law, and the expense is met by checking on the state, county and borough treasuries. When completed Bellefonte will have at least one decent street, and although this law has been declared to open the way for graft in road building, it has served the county seat for a good purpose.

The old, old story, told times without number, and repeated over and over again for the last thirty-six years, but it is always a welcome story to those in search of health—there is nothing in the world that cures coughs and colds as quickly as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Sold by Murray and Bitner.

WIDOW AWARDED $3,281 50 DAMAGES

For the Death of Her Husband, W. J. Close, Who Lost Life in Collapse of Bridge.

Armagh township, Mifflin county, was made a defendent in a damage suit, and a verdict was secured in the sum of $3,281 50 for the loss of the life of W. J. Close, a thresherman.

Mr. Close was taking a traction engine over the Dry Creek bridge, near Shrader, on what is known as the Honey Creek road, July 18, 1908, when the stringer at the lower side of the bridge broke, precipitating the engine to the bed of the creek, landing upside down. Mr. Close was pinned under the wreck and was taken out by the use of jacks, his death occurring from his injuries next day. His nephew, a boy named Alexander, also lost his life by the accident.

It required several days to hear the testimony and argument on the case. A number of witnesses testified to the rotten condition of the timbers. Among the witnesses who took this view of the condition of the bridge was Ira T. Barger, a carpenter, well known to many of the Reporter readers. He stated the timbers were decayed and that the braces would not hold. He had been sent to repair the bridge sometime before the accident, and reported the actual condition of the structure to one of the supervisors.

On the other hand, a number of witnesses declared the bridge to be safe. The one important thing demonstrated in the hearing and verdict of this case is, that it is infinitely cheaper for districts to keep bridges in the best possible repair than to let them decay, become traps and result in damage suits.

Transfers of Real Estate.

Rev. P. McArdle to Margery Oliger, October 15, 1910, tract of land in Benner twp. $50.

Robert Glenn et ux to Rosie Gatens, March 3, 1888, tract of land in Benner twp. $275.

I. J. Dreese to Carolyn S. Dale, August 22, 1910, tract of land in State College. $575.

Eliza J. DeLong et al to Tracy A. Spangler, May 12, 1904, tract of land in Eagleville, $120.

Martha A. Dale to J. H. Schreck, September 28, 1910, tract of land in College twp. $200.

H. R. Everett to E. A. Bartges, August 9, 1910, tract of land in Penn twp. $25.

G. F. Goss et ux to A. A. Hassinger, October 14, 1910, tract of land in Philipsburg. $1.

Sadie Brett et al to A. A. Hassinger, October 7, 1910, tract of land in Philipsburg. $575.

Jared Harper et ux to James Flack, October 18, 1910, tract of land in Spring twp. $800.

E. F. Meyers to Mary Shawley, May 1, 1910, tract of land in State College. $1.

L. E. Stover et ux to Atlantic Refining company, October 17, 1910, tract of land in Penn twp. $400.

G. C. Harvey et ux to Julia C. Harvey, August 16, 1910, tract of land in College twp. $900.

J. C. McCloskey et al to A. N. Lucas, October 20, 1910, tract of land in Liberty twp. $2150.

W. S. Budinger admr to Maria Ellen Miller, October 22, 1910, tract of land in Boggs twp. $425.

Minerva Garbrick to Otis Garbrick et al, October 8, 1910, tract of land in Walker twp. $1.

Directors Meeting Postponed.

The regular quarterly meeting of the directors and officers of the Patrons Rural Telephone Company has been postponed from today (Thursday) until Thursday, December 8th, at which time the meeting will be held at the Garman House, Bellefonte. The business of the day will be the distribution of the funds earned as a collecting agency, and it is requested that the secretaries accompany the directors to this meeting, and bring with them their books.

S. W. SMITH, Secretary. L. RHONE, President.

This is November.

Please note that if your subscription is paid only to November, 1909, one year is due, and we kindly ask that you forward one dollar at once so that you will come under the postoffice regulations. There are only eight subscribers on the list whose labels show Nov. '09, and they are all men with good credit, and now that their attention has been called to the matter, we will no doubt hear from them. Please do not oblige us to send you a bill. We dislike to send bills to any one.

Cow Sale.

J. E. Hauck is having his fourth cow sale in Centre county this season. This sale will be held at Millheim, Saturday, 12th inst., at which time Holstein and Ayrshire cows will be offered. See posters for further information.

LETTERS FROM SUBSCRIBERS.

Reporter Subscribers' Correspondent Column—New Department.

Rev. John A. Bright, Evangelist and Children's Missionary, of Topeka, Kansas, a native of lower Penns Valley, writes the Reporter thus:

Enclosed herewith find check to pay for my paper to September, 1911. The paper comes regularly to my address at No. 1900 Redden Avenue, and is greatly enjoyed by both Mrs. Bright and myself. Next April it will be twenty-nine years that I removed from Jersey Shore, Pennsylvania, where I was then pastor of the English Lutheran church, to this state. My children, two sons, George and Luther, were then small, one aged thirteen and the other eleven. Now they are both married, and have children, and are ordained Lutheran ministers, the former preaching at Lucas, Ohio, and the latter at Newton, Iowa. How rapidly time flies! The older I grow, the more I enjoy reading the news from old Centre county in your excellent paper, so let it come right along. With best wishes for your success, and for the welfare and happiness of all the readers of the Reporter, I remain, etc.

From Vernon, Kansas, comes a call for a good blacksmith, through this letter from J. A. Strunk, whose address is Neasho Falls. Mr. Strunk writes thus:

Let me give my eastern friends a bit of news from this section of Kansas, telling of crops, weather conditions and the need of a good mechanic.

Corn is a very short crop in this locality, and the reason is because of the dry weather and hot winds in August. Hay was not more than a half crop, but we cut some second growth which will help us out for feeding purposes.

We need a good blacksmith at Vernon. A house and shop awaits a good mechanic. The prices charged by blacksmiths in Kansas are about one-half more than in Pennsylvania, for instance: resetting a shoe, 20 cents; sharpening a steel plow, 25 cents; welding a mower knife, 75 cents. If a blacksmith who reads this wants further information, let him write to me.

Country Church Institute.

The meeting held in the Presbyterian church, Centre Hall, Monday, was not so largely attended as it should have been; but those present were much pleased and instructed. The purpose was to consider the church's relation to country life. In addition to the usual features of the church's work emphasis was put on the duty and privilege of taking a deeper interest in the schools, the recreations, the health, and scientific agriculture of the community; also on the need of cooperation with all organizations and movements which seek the betterment of rural life and the bringing of the people together socially.

Prof. I. T. Mairs, of State College, spoke on education, the need of making it more practical, as by teaching agriculture, urging that the church would prosper most in an intelligent, prosperous community.

Hon. Leonard Rhone made a strong plea for the church and Sunday-school in the country districts. His address was to the point, and embodied material grasped for by Rev. Morrison.

Rev. Maxwell Morrison, of Bellona, N. Y., proved himself a forcible, interesting speaker, who understands his subject well and is zealous for the kingdom of Christ.

Trolley for Mifflinburg.

The Simplex Surface Contact Company, of Williamsport, which has the contract for electrifying the Lewisburg & Tyrone railroad between Lewisburg and Mifflinburg, a distance of ten and one-half miles, will at once begin work on the job. According to the terms of the contract the Simplex company must have the system ready for operation between Montandon and Lewisburg by December 1 and to Mifflinburg by March 1. It is the intention to operate from six to eight cars in half hour periods, meeting all trains at Montandon. The present train service from Montandon to Mifflinburg will be somewhat changed. A sub-station will be built at Vicksburg. Power is to be furnished by the new power plant at Milton, the wires running across the country to the sub-station, where the power will be transformed and distributed over the Simplex system.

Recital in Boalsburg.

Under the auspices of the Lutheran C. E. Society, at Boalsburg, Miss Ella Hassenpflug will appear in Boal hall, Thursday evening, November 24th. The program will consist of readings, monologues and impersonations. General admission, 15 cents; reserved seats, 25 cents.

DEATHS.

In last week's issue of the Centre Reporter the incidents surrounding the paralytic stroke suffered by Daniel Hosterman, while at the Centre Hall railroad station, were printed, and today his death is chronicled. Death ended Mr. Hosterman's career Thursday morning, at the home of his son, John A. Hosterman, at Centre Hill. Although every effort was made to prolong his life, he grew weaker every day, and the physician in charge well realized that his patient was in the most critical condition from the first visit.

The body was removed to the home of Mrs. James E. Harter, a daughter, at Coburn, from which place the funeral was held on Saturday morning, interment being made at Coburn. The officiating minister was Rev. B. R. M. Sheeder, pastor of the Lutheran church, assisted by Rev. B. F. Bieber.

The deceased was aged seventy-two years and four months. He was a resident of Penn township for many years, living near Coburn, but since the death of his wife—nee Harriet Kerstetter—four years ago, he made his home with his daughter in the town of Coburn.

The surviving children are these: Annie, wife of James Wert, Penn Hall; Jennie, V., wife of James E. Harter, Coburn; John A., Centre Hill, and William N., Fort Wayne, Indiana. There survives also one brother, Henry, in Lincoln, Kansas.

With the exception of the first two years, Merty Cunningham lived all of the seventy-eight years of his life in Bellefonte. He was born in Curtin township, and died in Bellefonte, death being due to several strokes of paralysis. He was a moulder by trade, and worked in the foundries in Bellefonte much of his time, and later was an instructor in the foundry at Pennsylvania State College.

In 1854 he was united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth Powers who died nineteen years ago. Surviving him, however, are the following children: Frank D., of Chicago; Edward J., of Linden Hall; J. Mitchell, George and Mrs. R. B. Taylor, of Bellefonte; Merty, Jr., of New York, and William H., of Beaver Falls. One daughter, Mrs. V. J. Bauer, died about a year ago. He also leaves one sister, Miss Mary, with whom he has made his home recently.

Mrs. David Zeiler, aged sixty-five years, fell down a stairway at her home, at Glen Iron, and died in ten minutes thereafter. She had been blind for several years, which accounts for her falling. Her neck was broken. She is survived by her husband and two sisters and a brother, namely: Mrs. Wesley Snowalter, of Millmont; Samuel, of Cowan; and Mrs. Mary Ann, wife of Cyrus Durst, of Boalsburg.

Endorse Consolidation of Schools.

This item referring to the consolidation of public schools is from the Farmers' Friend and Grange Trade Bulletin:

Consolidation of rural schools is strongly advocated by George W. Knorr, special field agent of the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Agriculture, who has made an extensive investigation on the subject. He finds that consolidation, which was first tried in Massaschusetts, is being followed to a greater or less extent in thirty-two states, some 1800 schools being affected. There are unquestionably advantages in a boy or girl attending a school of some size. In such schools higher salaries can be paid and a better grade of teachers can be secured than in small ones. Association with large bodies of fellow students also has an educational advantage, particularly for country boys and girls, some of whom live comparatively isolated lives. Special Agent Knorr declares that ninety five per cent. of the farmers who have witnessed a thorough trial of the consolidated school system, endorse it.

Free Lecture.

Past Grand Master B. H. Hart, of Harrisburg, will give a lecture in Grange Arcadia, Centre Hall, Tuesday evening, November 22nd. His subject will be "Some reasons why I am an Odd Fellow." A general invitation is extended to the public. Rev. Hart is a fluent speaker, and is on the platform much of his time. His address will be of a character to interest all no matter whether they are members of the order of Odd Fellows or not.

A ruling made by Postmaster General Hitchcock will give the widower other legal representative of a railway postal clerk $2000 instead of $1000, if the clerk while on duty happens to lose his life through a railroad accident.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

Mrs. H. J. Lambert entertained a number of her friends on Saturday evening,

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Meyer returned from a few weeks' visit to the western part of the state.

Liveryman Christ Beezer, of Bellefonte, will quit the livery business in the spring, and go to farming on the John Wagner farm, near Milesburg, purchased by him.

With a twenty acre field of corn to husk, and every shock covered with snow, on Friday morning, the farmer had thoughts not printable unless he was an out and out Berry man.

Mrs. Margaret Miller, of Millersburg, who was visiting in Centre county for some weeks, spending much of her time in Centre Hall with her sister, Mrs. William Colyer, returned to her home last week.

The marriage of Miss Calderwood, superintendent of the Bellefonte hospital was the cause of the advancement of Miss Beltz to acting superintendent and Mrs. Legget to head nurse, the position formerly held by Miss Beltz.

Samuel Wolf, of East Buffalo township, aged almost eighty years, and John L. Grove, of Kelley township, aged seventy-six years, were prominent Union county residents who died recently. The latter was found dead in his bed in the morning; he retired without complaining.

Bucknell and State will meet on Beaver Field, State College, Saturday afternoon. It will be a hot contest. Coming the day following Pennsylvania Day at Pennsylvania State College an effort is being made to hold over as many of the dignitaries as possible. To accomplish this the club and fraternity houses will be thrown open for their entertainment.

To consult with a life insurance firm in Hartford, Connecticut, Edward Durst made a trip to that city last week. He stopped in New York over night, and was much impressed with the great improvements made recently by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. Mr. Durst may accept a position with one of the Hartford insurance companies.

Chester county farmers, sometime in December, will learn how well farm stock can be gotten into condition by a Centre countian, when D. C. Keller offers his stock on the auction block. William Swabb, of Linden Hall, for a week has had Mr. Keller's stock in charge, and will keep on caring for it until the day of sale. It is a matter of care as well as proper feed that makes cattle and horses look their best, and Mr. Swabb has learned this and is putting his knowledge to practical use.

David Dorman, of Fiedler, had a similar experience to that of Howard Wells, of Pleasant Gap, and that was to bag a bear while hunting for 'coons. Mr. Dorman's dogs tracked an animal to a tree, and indicated by their manner that the animal had climbed it. Inspection of a large limb revealed a bear hugging it. The hunter took a steady aim and down tumbled brute. That is the second bear killed in lower Penns Valley this season. George Weaver, of Curtin township, has already had the good fortune to trap two bears, the last one captured weighing three hundred pounds.

A. Walter, connected with the Millheim Banking Company in the capacity of cashier gives a very favorable report of the conditions in Texas, which state is becoming an attraction for many northern people, who have become dissatisfied with the long cold winters here. Mr. Walters states the soil is very rich, the climate agreeable, the rainfall more than in Pennsylvania, twelve months in the year in which the farmer may till the soil. In his mind the prospects in Texas are not overestimated, yet a degree of intelligence must be used by farmers, and especially those who engage in fruit growing. The growing of rice, cotton, and sugar cane, the chief staples in Texas, is very simple.

Strange, is it not, how business runs. One man makes his living doing just the reverse of what the other man does. Here are Mitterling, Bradford, McCoy and others,—they have been shipping cows from Centre county for many years, when along comes J. E. Hauck who opens a business selling cows to the same people from whom the others buy. Thus the business goes along, everybody making. The Centre county cow has long ago earned a reputation in the eastern market for her superior qualities, but the supply is not keeping up to the demand. To aid in keeping up the future demand in the east for cows in full flow of milk, Mr. Hauck comes along, and for Saturday has advertised his fourth sale in Centre county.

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SCHOOLS IN PUBLIC PARKS.

Boston's finance commission has placed itself upon record as favoring the building of one of the public schools in one of Boston's public parks. If the suggestion should be acted upon by the Boston city government it would probably involve a unique experiment. A schoolhouse is to be built in a portion of the city where property is high-priced, and even at a high price it is difficult to get a suitable site. In Washington park the city has an area of 396,125 square feet in such location as to make an ideal site, says the St. Paul Dispatch. The commission argues that the school building will occupy but 12,000 square feet of this space, and that the curtailing of the breathing area will, therefore, not be serious. On the other hand, the fact of having a school in the park will attract to it a maximum number of children and promote the object of the park.

While the finance commission does not wish to make its recommendation a precedent, it has in it a suggestion of value. The plan might be worked both ways, locating schools where convenient in public parks so as to give the children a maximum of ground for recreation, and turning the grounds about such buildings into breathing spots for the use of the neighborhoods, especially in vacation times.

A Brooklyn woman lately wrote to the marriage license bureau of that city to know if she could be supplied with a good, honest, sober husband. The clerk in charge explained that, while he had a few model men on hand, they were all married and the supply was entirely too limited for the demand. The fact that the matrimonial market is understocked with honest, sober husbands may be one reason why the divorce courts are overcrowded.

The pessimist can always find food for gloomy thought. The facts that the census shows a big increase in population while the death rate is decreasing will prove to that individual, who, like the proverbial Scotchman, is never happy unless he is miserable, that the nation is going to be overcrowded until somebody has to be shoved off the earth to make room for the rest.

Those who have been wondering as to whether America would produce a new race have their answer. The hobble skirt race has been inaugurated on Long Island. It was won in seven falls.

That marriage is the worst kind of a failure is the opinion of a Gotham broker who is paying his first wife $240 a month alimony and whose second wife wants alimony to the tune of $500 more.

Trust science to rise to every emergency. It says we are all going insane from living in flats, and now a French surgeon is going to saw open our heads and scrape away the foolish fancies.

A Japanese scientist claims that he can educate oysters to produce perfect pearls. This may be glad news, now that the season is open to the patrons of the restaurant pearl fisheries.

Football this year will have to compete with aviation, but as there seems to be no good way to use a college yell in connection with an airship the gridiron sport will have some advantages.

A Tokyo cable announces the Japanese will make a dash for the south pole to try and beat the American and British expeditions. The more the merrier. And may the best man win.

Girls caught shoplifting in Philadelphia explained that "they wanted to be stylish." In order to satisfy that desire they should have confined their misdeeds to smuggling.

A western man claims he is insane and brings forward as proof the fact that he was married three times in three months. "Insane" is an inadequate word, we opine.

New York has formed a league to banish French from the bill of fare. Merely to call a chef a cook would be a great gain.

We gather that the Brooklyn woman who named sixty-three co-respondents in her divorce suit, really deserves to win it.

New York bulldog turns on the gas and commits suicide. Even a dog can't stand the dog's life a New Yorker leads.

Now the sultan of Sulu says that one wife is a plenty. Thus he destroys his usefulness as a comic opera prop.

$2,000,000 FUND FOR THE RED CROSS

President Taft Names Special Committees to Act.

IN ANSWERING EMERGENCY CALLS

The General Committee Will Consist Of Endowment Subcommittees In Every Large City To Have Charge Of the Campaign For Raising That City's Portion Of the Endowment Fund.

Washington, D. C. (Special).—President Taft announced the appointment of a special committee of eminent men in all parts of the country who are to undertake the raising of a $2,000,000 endowment fund for the American National Red Cross Society. The chairman will be Franklin MacVeagh, Secretary of the Treasury, while Charles D. Norton, private secretary of the President, will be the vice-chairman.

The general committee will consist of endowment subcommittees in every large city, to have charge of the campaign for raising that city's portion of the endowment fund.

The Red Cross Society now has no real endowment, and it is considered very desirable that there should be a permanent fund of not less than $2,000,000, which may be so invested as to net an income of $100,000 or $120,000 annually for use by the society. The principal is not to be touched, only the income being used.

This is the second movement of the kind in which the President has taken an active interest. He indorsed heartily the plan to raise $3,000,000 for the extension of the work of the Young Men's Christian Association in foreign lands.

The Red Cross endowment fund, if raised and invested, will place the work of that organization on a substantial basis. The society in the past has been called upon suddenly in emergencies and generally has had to issue a call for funds. By having a large reserve fund the society will be in position to do much more effective work on the spur of the moment when the call for help is made. Many prominent financiers, business and professional men, besides jurists and civic leaders, are to be placed upon the committees, and it is believed that little difficulty will be experienced in raising the fund when the purpose for which it is to be used is understood throughout the country.

PLAYER'S JAW BROKEN.

Easton Footballer Does Not Discover Injury During Game.

Bethlehem, Pa. (Special).—In a football game here, Hale Francisco, of Easton, a member of the Spartan A. C. eleven, received a fractured jaw.

The accident occurred when Francisco tackled Half-Back Fehr. Francisco continued playing, and when he returned home discovered that his jaw had been fractured in three places.

Hero Loses His Life.

Lynn, Mass. (Special).—To save three small children who had wandered onto the Boston and Maine Railroad tracks in front of an express train Stephen Jones gave up his life. The children were crossing the tracks unaware of the approaching train, when Jones ran toward the spot and warned them of their danger by his shouts so that they escaped. He, himself, had misjudged the speed and distance of the express, and his moment of hesitation before leaping to safety cost him his life, for the engine struck and killed him instantly. He was 55 years old and leaves a family.

Meat Prices To Fall, He Says.

New York (Special).—In the opinion of Patrick Cudahy, a Milwaukee meat packer just returned from Europe, there will be a drop of 10 per cent. in the price of beef and 25 per cent. in the price of pork within the next year. He bases his opinion on the abundant corn crop. For several years farmers have found it more profitable to sell their grain than to hold it for fodder.

Mine Watchman Killed.

Myersdale, Pa. (Special).—William Tressler, while on duty as watchman at one of the mines near here, was shot and killed, seven bullets entering his body. He is thought to have been killed by some person found near the mine who was trespassing on the company's property.

Bar Harbor Excludes Autos.

Augusta, Me. (Special).—Bar Harbor will continue to get along without motor-cars. In the Supreme Court Justice William P. Whitehouse, in a rescript, declared the so-called Bar Harbor automobile exclusion bill passed by the legislature last year to be constitutional. The bill had the support of many New York, Boston and Philadelphia people who have summer homes at Bar Harbor, but was opposed by some of the permanent residents.

BREAD NECESSITY, CAKE LUXURY

Distinction Drawn By The Interstate Commission.

Washington, D. C. (Special).—Bread as a necessity wins a qualified victory over cake as a luxury in a rate decision which the Interstate Commerce Commission announced in the case of the Oak Grove Farm Creamery, of Boston, Mass., against the Adams Express Company and others. The decision denies the creamery's contention that cake should be given as low a transportation rate as bread, but orders a discontinuance of the defendant common carriers' rule that in a mixed shipment of bread and cake 50 per cent. of the package must be bread in order that the package should get the lower bread rate.

The commission points out that bread is a necessity of life and an article of universal consumption, and the defendants may, therefore, properly apply to it a somewhat lower rate. But the rates now charged on cake are held to be unreasonable and should not exceed the regular merchandise rate excluding the weight of the hamper in which the cake is shipped.

Reaffirming its right to exercise its jurisdiction over private cars when used for conveyance of amusement outfits, theatrical companies and the like, the Interstate Commerce Commission announced its views as to a railroad claiming to be a "private carrier." The decision was a denial of a petition for rehearing in the case of Pat Chapelle against the Louisville and Nashville Railroad. The commission says it cannot recognize the right of the defendant to claim exemption from the provision of the interstate law as to any service which it renders as a carrier of persons or property.

"If it is private carrier as to private cars or any class of private cars," says the commission, "it may carry such cars free of charge, or at any rate that it may choose, differing and distinguishing between each party or car that it carried. Such a construction of the law absolutely nullifies it as to all private equipment whether carrying passengers or freight.

A carrier may no doubt lawfully refuse to carry certain classes of private equipment, but it may not distinguish between private cars that are owned by negroes and private cars that are owned by whites; not between private cars owned by Armour & Co. and private cars owned by any other concern."

KILLED AT FARMER'S GATE.

Young Woman's Slayer Himself Fired At, He Says.

Fort Worth, Tex. (Special).—Miss Lula Williams, aged 25 years, daughter of T. L. Williams, a prosperous farmer, living six miles north of Arlington, was shot and killed by R. H. Bates, aged 40, a farmer, in front of Bates' home. Bates stated he was called to the door and after a pistol shot had been fired at him, he seized a shotgun and fired into the darkness.

There was no outcry although he discerned a fleeing figure. An hour later the woman was found dead in front of the gate. She was dressed in a man's overcoat and cap. Bates is under arrest.

BANK CASHIER A SUICIDE.

Stabs Himself When Inspector Starts Examination.

Georgetown, Texas (Special).—When Bank Examiner Chambers appeared at the Weir State Bank to examine that institution, Cashier J. I. Dester stabbed himself in the throat and died within a few moments.

Weir is a small town a few miles from Georgetown. The condition of the bank's affairs has not been announced.

Auto Overturns; Two Killed.

Los Angeles, Cal. (Special).—W. C. Massey, a rancher, and his 4-year-old daughter were killed near San Fernando when the engine of the auto they occupied with three others stopped dead near the top of a hill and the machine rushed backward and overturned. The little girl was killed outright, while Massey died several hours later. The others jumped and were uninjured.

Ambassador O'Brien Back.

Victoria, B. C. (Special).—Thomas J. O'Brien, American Ambassador to Japan, with his wife, arrived here, bound for their home at Grand Rapids, Mich., on a furlough of two months. The Ambassador stated that Japanese feeling toward the United States was most cordial, and he did not anticipate any question to arise that would not lend itself to ready solution.

Kills Himself On Liner.

Queenstown (Special).—Dr. John H. Nesbitt, a New York physician, shot and killed himself in his stateroom on board the steamer Arabic. The Arabic arrived here Sunday from New York. The body has been embalmed and will be landed at Liverpool.

Train Hits Work Gang.

Piedmont, W. Va. (Special).—A passenger train plowed through a gang of Italian workmen, killing three and fatally injuring two.

GARMENT WORKERS AND POLICE BATTLE

Draw Revolvers and Charge Into Mobs That Hurl Stones.

RIOTS IN THE STREETS OF CHICAGO

Strikers Put Up a Desperate Fight, Knocked Down By Policemen's Pistols and Trampled On—Bleeding Heads and Faces—Men and Women Hurl Stones, Bricks and Clubs—Strikers Dismantle Clothing Establishment and Toss Machines Into the Street.

Chicago (Special).—Grim specters of the days of the Haymarket riot haunted Chicago's streets for a brief time Wednesday, when Police Inspector S. K. Healy and 60 policemen with drawn revolvers charged several hundred striking garment workers, who were rioting on the West Side.

One policeman was stabbed. Several rioters were seriously injured, and 25 strikers and sympathizers were arrested during the brisk fight, which threatened to get beyond police control.

This is the most serious outbreak that has occurred since the inception of the strike of garment workers. It occurred at the plant of A. Lott & Co., at West Ohio and Bickerdike streets. Before the police arrived the strikers broke all the windows in the large building occupied by the clothing manufacturers, drove strikebreakers out, carried a large number of sewing machines into the streets and destroyed them.

The strikers and their followers put up a desperate fight for a time. Many were knocked down with the clubbed revolvers of the police and not a few were trampled on during the fighting. Bleeding heads and faces were numerous.

Strike pickets gained entrance to the Lott tailoring establishment as a mob of strikers approached the building. Some of the employes of the company joined the strikers and have assisted in pulling machines from the floors and otherwise damaging the plant, it is said. Men and women were hurling stones and bricks through the windows of the factory when Inspector Healy and his squad of policemen arrived.

The inspectors experienced difficulty in getting together the disorganizd policemen, who had borne the brunt of the early fighting. When he had done so, however, the policemen charged through the mob, knocking down all in their way. Many of the rioters fled when they saw the policemen draw revolvers. Others remained firm and hurled clubs and stones at the officers. A number of women were arrested, but most of these were released after they had been taken to a police station.

Dukes "Not Worth a Ding."

New York (Special).—Geraldine Farrar, the American opera singer, is evidently not going to marry a titled foreigner, at least not a duke. The soprano was informed on her arrival on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse that it was reported she would wed a duke. "Dukes!" asked Miss Farrar. "I've met many of them and, believe me, taking them individually and collectively, they are not worth a ding."

70-Cent Drop In Pork Prices.

Cleveland (Special).—Hog prices have dropped approximately 70 cents in the past eight days, according to quotations on the local market. Dealers say that further declines will come before the end of the week, and that the end is not in sight. The biggest corn crop in history is assigned as the cause.

Makes Home a Shambles.

Lawrenceville, Ga. (Special).—Joseph Wallace, a prominent merchant of this place, shot and killed his wife and 13-year-old son, fatally wounded his 16-year-old boy, drove two daughters away from home, and then turned the revolver on himself, ending his own life, at his home here. No cause has been given for the deed.

Man, 82, and Bride, 48, Elope.

Sterling, Ill. (Special).—Jacob Myers, a wealthy farmer, 82 years old, and Miss Ellen Kraft, 48 years old, eloped and were married. Myers' son, 60 years old, objected to the marriage. The bridegroom has three great-grandchildren.

Mine Explosion Kills Four.

Butte, Mont. (Special).—Four miners were instantly killed and their bodies blown to shreds by an explosion in the Leonard mine, one of the properties of the Boston and Montana Company.

Two Killed In Threshing Accident.

Lapeer, Mich. (Special).—Charles Ritch and George Oviatt were killed and John Gordon was fatally injured when a threshing machine engine boiler exploded five miles from here.

Lad Dies From Football Injuries.

Natchez, Miss. (Special).—E. Sterling Gunn, Jr., 16 years old, son of Rev. E. Sterling Gunn, rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, died of blood poisoning resulting from injuries sustained during a practice game of football.

BREAKS THE WORLD'S RECORD

Ralph Johnstone in Baby Wright is Highest Flyer.

New York (Special).—A "baby" Wright roadster, with Ralph Johnstone at the wheel, glided gracefully to earth in the twilight at the close of the international aviation meet at Belmont Park Monday evening with the barograph registering a new world's record for altitude. The little machine, of only 35-horsepower, had been up 9,714 feet, exceeding by 528 feet the height attained in France on October 1 by Henry Wynmalen, of Holland.

But Johnstone's sky-climbing feat was not the only notable incident of the closing day of the meet. Claude Grahame-White, the athletic Britisher, who carries away the Gordon Bennett trophy, which takes the next international tournament to England, sharpened the sporting appetite with a challenge to John W. Moisant, of Chicago, for another race from the park around the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor and return. Moisant, who won $10,000 for his fast flight around the statue Sunday, ignored the challenge.

Then Grahame-White, denied another chance for a visit to Miss Liberty, sent a thrill through the spectators, when at the close of a speed race with J. A. D. McCurdy, of the Curtiss team, his propeller snapped, his monoplane dug into the greensward in front of the grand-stand, turned turtle, and buried the aviator underneath. He was uninjured, and won the race.

Moissant's winning of the $2,000 distance prize offered by the Aero Club of America, was the other big event of the day. He traveled approximately 87 1-2 miles in two hours. In landing, after winning the event, he smashed his propeller and broke a running wheel, but escaped unscathed.

"I was in a pretty purple haze up there," said Johnstone, after he had finished his world-record flight, "and say, it was cold. I had a couple of sweaters on, beside my rubber suit and face mask, but then at times I felt as if freezing.

"Several times I lost complete sight of the earth, but when I shot clear of the haze I could see away down below buildings and residences which looked like toy blocks. I have been flying only since June, but it sure was the most satisfactory trip I have ever made."

BLAME DISASTER ON GAS.

Report Of Labor Men On Explosion In Los Angeles Times Office.

San Francisco (Special).—The committee appointed by the State Federation of Labor to investigate the Los Angeles Times disaster presented a report to the Executive Council, finding that the explosion was caused by gas.

"The only tenable theory so far advanced," says the report, "is that leaks in the Times building let loose so much gas that by coming into contact with an open fire such as a lighted match or the fires in the printing department, there was a disastrous explosion."

Georgia Cotton Hurt By Cold.

Atlanta (Special).—Commissioner of Agriculture Thomas G. Hudson estimated the damage to the cotton crop in Georgia from the recent cold weather at $750,000. "I am now convinced," said Mr. Hudson, "that the total production in this State will not exceed 1,300,000 bales, as against 1,900,000 or 2,000,000 under normal conditions."

Budget For 1911, $174,079,335.

New York (Special).—The budget for New York for the year 1911, as finally adopted by the Board of Estimates and signed by all of the members of the board, foots up to $174,079,335, nearly $11,000,000 higher than that for 1910, which amounted to $163,130,270.

Germany Buys Aeroplanes.

Berlin (Special).—The War Office acquired aeroplanes of five different types. These comprise the Wright, Sommer, Farman and Avatik biplanes and the Ettrick monoplane. Various tests of a far-reaching character will be made with these machines and the Government will then make extensive purchases for the army.

Fireman Killed In Wreck.

Chattanooga, Tenn. (Special).—A. G. Sanford, fireman, of Smyrna, Tenn., was instantly killed; Michael McGovern, engineer, of Nashville, was badly scalded, and Postal Clerk Frank B. Allen was injured in the wrecking of passenger train, No. 4, on the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway. The passengers were terribly shaken up, but none was seriously injured.

Shot For a Deer.

Vancouver, B. C. (Special).—D. Gibson, a hunter from New York, about 40 years old and apparently a man of wealth, was shot and killed in the woods north of Vancouver by C. Young, who mistook him for a deer. Gibson's body was brought to this city in a launch.

The United States consumes over $1,000,000 worth of Spanish grapes annually.

UNITED STATES TO TAKE A HAND

Gen. Valladares Will Have to Vacate Amapala.

IN OPEN DIFIANCE OF DAVILA

Outlaw Commandant Of the Island Of Amapala, the Pacific Port. Of Honduras — American Gunboat Princeton Lying Off the Place—Port Closed and the Island In a State Of Siege—Gen. Valladares' Hates Americans.

Tecucigalpa, Honduras (Special).—Gen. Jose Valladares, the outlaw commandant of the island of Amapala, the Pacific port of Honduras, still holds the western entrance to the republic. He has assumed a "come and take me" attitude. The American gunboat Princeton lies off the town of Amapala, and Commander Hayes will likely take steps to prevent further trouble.

General Valladares, whose implacable hatred of Americans led him into offenses against foreigners generally, has long held undisputed sway on Amapala, which, being the site of the customhouse, now affords him an excellent strategic position. At the solicitation of foreign interests President Davila, who has had reason to have a wholesome respect for the General's fighting abilities, recently persuaded Valladares to come to the capital, and exacted a promise that he would surrender his office as commander of the Amapala garrison. The President thereupon appointed Gen. Calixto Carias as commandant of Amapala.

On Tuesday Valladares returned to Amapala, ostensibly to transfer his command to his successor, and to pick up his belongings, with the idea of leaving the island permanently.

However, the General was no sooner back on his old stamping ground than he took command of the garrison of the fort, and announced his rebellion against the government of Honduras.

President Davila subsequently called upon him to surrender. Valladares promptly, and emphatically refused, and apparently is preparing for hostilities from whatever source they may develop.

The Honduran government has a very small army, and, as Valladares has several hundred armed followers and is reported to have several modern machine guns, it is thought that President Davila will ask the assistance of this government in its efforts to get rid of the trouble-maker of Amapala.

Noted for his hatred of foreigners, Valladares recently publicly announced that he had named his dog "Taft" in order to show his contempt for the American government.

POSTAGE ON MAGAZINES.

Higher Rate Not To Apply To Scientific Or Literary Reading.

Washington, D. C. (Special).—The plan to increase the postal charges on certain magazines does not include such publications as are scientific, literary or devoted principally to reading matter. Postmaster General Hitchcock purposes making the increase apply only to those so-called popular magazines, of which advertisements form a large part. The plan whereby such magazines will be made to bear a larger proportionate part of the expenses of the operation of the mail service is now being worked out under the direction of the Postmaster General. The department, it is asserted, has no intention to curtail or impede in any way the circulation of the scientific or literary magazines in which advertisements do not figure extensively.

KILLS HIMSELF IN HOSPITAL.

Cancer Patient Fires Bullet Into Brain In Brooklyn.

New York (Special).—Helped by some friend, it is believed, in securing means to carry out his desire to die, Charles Sembrecht, a cancer patient, committed suicide by shooting in the Seney Hospital in Brooklyn. An engineer stumbled over his body in the basement of the hospital. In his right hand was clutched a revolver, and there was a deep hole in his right temple. No one in the hospital had ever seen the revolver before, and it is believed that some friend of the sufferer had smuggled the weapon into him.

The Oldest Postmaster.

Milwaukee, Wis. (Special).—Joseph Dreyfus, aged 90 years, postmaster at Hales Corners, near Milwaukee, died of general debility. Mr. Dreyfus was said to have been the oldest postmaster in the service, as well as age, in the United States. He had been a government official about 40 years.

Newspaper Plant Burned.

Macon, Ga. (Special).—The Macon Telegraph Building was almost completely destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $100,000, with $80,000 insurance. Raymond Clay, of Knoxville, Tenn., a printer, was burned to death. Only about half of the files of the paper, dating back for 75 years, were saved. The fire, so far as can be learned, started from a lighted watch carelessly thrown into some paper at the back of the building.

Her Father's Daughter

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"I wish you would marry me." Merle Adams had lost count of the times he had told her this. Each time he said it, he made the statement with the same arguments and with the same sincere conviction that marriage with him was the reasonable and foreseen result of her heredity and environment.

"I'm not asking you to fall madly in love with me, Cecilia," he went on. "I ask you to quit chasing new fancies and go where your natural inclinations lead you. They will bring you straight to me. We are corelative spirits; you don't realize it, but I do. There is a bond between us uniting our subconscious selves. You keep it suppressed below the plane of consciousness. But it's there and it's real and strong."

"Because you are a politician and my father is a politician we must necessarily be twin souls? You are totally mistaken. I am not your corelative spirit; there is no subconscious bond between us. I am not in love with you. I shall not marry you."

"I think you will. For awhile you will chase fancies and form other at-

"Traitor, Traitor, Where Is Morton?"

tachments as strong as cobwebs. Some day you will dismiss this pretty rubbish. I shall wait."

"And suppose," said Miss Morton deliberately, "that while you are waiting I marry some one else?"

"That is a possibility, of course. But I don't believe you will. You are the product of a certain atmosphere. It is not probable that you will marry out of it. If you were a man you would run the state with an honest, perfectly organized machine. Being a very beautiful, very conventional young woman this political instinct shows itself in a mental attitude. You will marry a politician. I intend to be the one. But I believe you think you will marry Harry Seldon."

"He is a politician and perhaps a corelative spirit"——

"Seldon a politician? Umph! He can make a racket on a stump, but he can't deliver a precinct."

"You talk like a ward heeler. Harry Seldon will be one of the greatest men of th e day. I care a great deal for him and for the ideals he represents."

"Does your father share your admiration of Seldon?"

"Father is too unhappy to think of anything except his own trouble. Judge Clarkson——"

"Clarkson," Adams growled, "the lowest traitor that lives. Your father gave him everything he has. He compelled the judicial convention to nominate him for the supreme bench. Your father's influence made him a famous man. But he wants to be the greatest political leader in the state. To realize his ambition he has dethroned your father. Next week when the state convention meets Judge Clarkson will go as a great man and your father will not be there. Your father, the truest friend I ever had——"

The convention met in the Hall of Representatives in the state capitol. The vast room was filled with delegates, distinguished guests and rooters. They overflowed into the anterooms and corridors.

Cecilia Morton sat in the gallery. Every since she was a child she had come to the state conventions. To this one she had come with an aching heart. For the first time in his political life her father was not there.

The Honorable William S. Morton, member of Congress, had been sidetracked out of his own county organization. When Brooke county selected its delegates to the state convention Mr. Morton's name was not on the list. In his own county his downfall had been designed. It had been accomplished quietly—a word here and there, a suggestion at the right moment to a disaffected one—and under it all a purpose, subtle and deliberate.

The absence of the well-known politician from the personnel of the state convention was an incident of tremendous political significance. It was the first break in his power. A politician's county is the cornerstone of his success, and without it he can have only an uncertain structure that will soon go to pieces. From end to end of the state the press commented on the incident and politicians discussed it.

Congressman Morton's career was ended. He had lost his grip. At the first sign of weakness a hundred men were ready to spring upon him and tear from him his power. Another faction was waiting to rule the county and the opportunity had come. Without the support of his county he could not be renominated for Congress. He would drop out of the political life, and although he would always stand high in public opinion he would be that most unhappy man—a politician shorn of his power.

The convention was called to order. The routine preliminaries were gone through. The delivery of oratorical masterpieces began. The chairman announced the name of Justice James Clarkson of the state supreme court.

Justice Clarkson rose.

"Mr. Chairman," he began, "ladies and gentlemen——"

There was a faint hiss. The judge stopped.

"It is my pleasure——" he went on.

The hiss came again. This time it was louder and seemed to come from several parts of the room.

The judge's face darkened with anger. Again he began to speak, but from one side of the room came a catcall. It was answered from the other side. Several voices took it up.

The chairman pounded on his desk for order.

The catcalls grew louder. From all parts of the room came a steady hissing. A man in the rear began to yell. In a moment the convention was a wild uproar of inarticulate, derisive hootings.

The judge ghastly, furious, stood in his place. A man caught the tails of his coat and jerked him to his seat. A dozen of his friends surrounded him, pushed him upon a chair and shouted to the chairman to preserve order.

As the judge appeared above the crowd the hooting changed to a regular intonation, accompanied by a steady stamping of feet.

"Traitor. Traitor. Where is Morton?"

The judge dropped from his chair and buried his face in his arms and around him the storm of execration raged.

From the gallery Cecilia Morton watched the turmoil with passionate, wondering joy. Some one had planned this demonstration. Some one had filled the hall with trained rooters and organized the younger delegates into a jeering chorus; some one who knew that Judge Clarkson's public humiliation would restore the prestige of the friend he had betrayed.

Harry Seldon, the all but accepted lover, the politician of dreams and theories which had seemed so beautiful to her, was running about the hall frantically imploring men to be quiet, to cease their dishonor of a judge of the supreme court. An unutterable contempt for him swept over her. Didn't the man know this was for her father's honor?

She looked at Merle Adams. He was standing a little apart from the crowd. On his strong, young face was an expression of quiet satisfaction. She saw him raise his hand in an almost imperceptible gesture. Instantly the regular, rhythmic clacking, the base of sound on which the uproar was built, ceased. The lighter, miscellaneous hootings continued for a moment and thne died away.

Merle Adams raised his eyes to the gallery. Cecilia was leaning far over the railing. He read the look on her face and the message of her suddenly outstretched hands. Across the mob of excited, gesticulating politicians he sent the answer to her message, pushed his way through the crowd and ran up the gallery stairs.

Wedding Fees in New York.

Large wedding fees are rare, even in New York. Fees of $50 and $100 are considered large. The $1,000 fee, when it makes its appearance, usually goes to the rector of a wealthy congregation who enjoys a salary of $10,000 or $12,000 a year. Larger fees are sometimes given. The man o. wealth, actuated by a high regard for his pastor and friend, occasionally gives his check for $2,000 or $3,000 under the guise of a wedding fee. He wishes to help the minister, and knows the money would not be accepted under any other circumstances. Such gifts, it is needless to say, are extremely rare. New York has a few clergymen whose marriage fees average $1,200 a year. The pastor of a large Presbyterian church on Broadway has estimated that his fees amount annually to $1,000. These are top-notch figures. The fee received by an American minister for officiating at the wedding of one of his wealthy parishioners in Paris a few years ago is said to have covered the expenses of his four months' vacation on the Continent. Such fees, however, are extraordinary. They are beyond the wildest dreams of the average pastor, who may be able to recall one fee of $50 in his entire ministry.—The Christian Herald.

FOR SUNDAY SUPPER

HINTS ON PREPARING THIS INFORMAL MEAL.

One Hot Dish and the Rest Cold So It May Be Served at Any Time and Guests Help Themselves.

Informal suppers on Sunday evenings are the entertainments provided by one country hostess for her friends, and so successful have these affairs become that never is she without several visitors, and, as the meal is of a kind that can be served at any hour, guests have no feeling of being too late.

The hostess has but one servant, and allows her to go out every Sunday. It is easier to do without any service than to have that which is bad, the employer sensibly maintains, and declares that it would be demoralizing to work at other times. did she allow too much latitude to the maid in the dining room on Sundays. So, after the formal midday dinner is over and the dishes washed, the maid lays the supper table and then departs.

Supper is either cold or there is but one hot dish, this being made in the chafing dish, and chosen with a view to not spoiling by standing in the hot water jacket. Curried eggs, creamed chicken or salmon, or something similar, is usually prepared, and incidentally, should any be left over, it is excellent for luncheon next day.

Besides this hot food there is always a vegetable salad and mayonnaise, selecting either cucumber or tomato. There is bread and butter and iced tea or coffee. The dessert is either berries, other fruit, or a kind that will keep for many hours without looking left over.

All these are on the table at once. There is no tablecloth, but a centerpiece, a dish of flowers, and candles. Plates are not placed at regular intervale, but left in a pile, one at either end of the table. Knives are also together, and so are forks, two sets being at either side of the table to save unnecessary reaching. The jug of iced tea and glasses for it are on a side table, and the dessert may be kept there also.

The usual time for going into the dining room is 7 o'clock, but as the supper cannot be harmed by standing, and there is no maid to be delayed, the hostess goes when she feels like it, and from then on to 8:30 friends drop in. Each person helps himself as at any buffet supper, and there is never an evening when all is not gayety and fun. Such entertaining is no tax on the hostess, and she sees her friends far more often than she would under other circumstances. Since automobiling has become more general, her home is more or less of a meeting place and Sunday night suppers have become an institution in the household.

Green Tomato Pie Mixture.

Four quarts green tomatoes chopped fine, drain, cover with cold water, simmer 39 minutes and drain again. Add two pounds brown sugar, one pound raisins, half pound citron chopped fine, one tablespoon salt, half cup vinegar, half cup butter. Cook this mixture until it thickens. When cold add one tablespoon cloves, cinnamon and nutmeg. Put in jars cold and seal. This is a good substitute for mince meat and it will keep all winter.

Removal of Rust Stains.

Anything that will remove the rust stain will also take away color with it. One part of citric acid to one part water will take out the rust stain, but acids also destroy the color, therefore it is only suited to white goods. After using the solution the rinsing should be very thoroughly done.

Sometimes a weak solution of ammonia and water will restore the color to faded fabrics. If you have a scrap of the blue you might experiment in turn with the acid and the ammonia.

Grapefruit Cocktail.

Cut three medium-sized grapefruit into halves, remove pulp and membrane and separate the pulp into flakes. Mix this lightly with quarter of a pound of Malaga grapes, which have been skinned and seeded, sprinkle liberally with sugar and chill thoroughly. Serve in the grapefruit shells with a little crushed ice.

Oyster Cocktail.

Eight small raw oysters, one tablespoon tomato catsup, half tablespoon vinegar or lemon juice, two drops table sauce, one teaspoon celery, finely chopped, half teaspoon table sauce. Mix ingredients, chill thoroughly and serve in cocktail glasses, or cases made from green peppers placed on bed of crushed ice.

Best Ever Salad.

Take slices of pineapple (the canned preferred, as being more tender) lay each on a lettuce leaf, and in the hole in the center of each slice put a ball of Neufchatel cheese, and over this some mayonnaise.

Panned Oysters.

To pan oysters deliciously, plump a pint of them first in a couple of tablespoonfuls of butter and then turn in half a cupful of rich cream and a tablespoonful of sherry with salt and paprika.

USING UP LEFTOVER TONGUE

How the Ends Unfit for Slicing May Be Creamed and Made Most Appetizing.

To many housewives cold boiled tongue does not present itself as a left-over susceptible to metamorphosis. If no longer sightly for slicing it must be discarded.

Yet to the initiated a cold boiled end which would not be appetizing sliced is most piquant when creamed.

Cut the meat into small bits, removing all skin and gristle and heat up in a cream sauce. Serve on rounds of toast or fried bread or in individual dishes with bread and butter sandwiches.

In suburban places where fresh bonbons are not always obtainable on short notice a good recipe for a homemade sweet is often treasure trove to the house mother.

Peppermint is an excellent digestive in addition to its tastiness, and in some form is universally liked.

Peppermint drops with fruit are something of a novelty and are not difficult to accomplish in the home kitchen.

In a quarter cup of lukewarm water Soak one ounce of gum tragacanth until it becomes tender. Wring dry in a straining cloth and knead with the hand, adding five drops oil of peppermint. Continue to work it until light and elastic. Work in little by little two and a half cups of confectioners' sugar and one-half cupful each of dates, raisins and candied peels (orange and lemon equal quantity), mixed and chopped fine.

Roll out on a marble slab, pastry board or strip of canvas, using the sugar in lieu of flour. Roll to the thickness of half a dollar, stamp out and place on waxed paper in a warm room until dry.

LAUNDERING THE FRILLS

Row of Basting Stitches Run Near Outer Edge Saves Much Trouble in Ironing.

Before putting in the laundry the one-side plaited frills and frilled collars which are so pretty and popular and yet so hard to "do up," run a row of basting stitches about an inch from the outer edge. That will hold the plaits in position while washing and will save time and trouble later in ironing. This is especially true if you are not the proud possessor of a patent plaiting iron.

These frills, by the way, should, when possible, be made separate from the blouse and buttoned, hooked or pinned on, so that they do not have to go so often to the tub. They really do not get dirty so quickly as the more exposed parts of the blouse, and they are a great nuisance usually to wash and iron, even with the precaution mentioned. If you buy a ready-made blouse with frills stitched on, it is an easy matter to rip them off and supply buttons and buttonholes.

A Breakfast Help.

After finishing the supper work, prepare, in so far as it is possible, the next morning's breakfast. If you are to have ham or bacon, slice, trim, and have it ready for the pan or broiler. The potatoes are sliced or diced, the bread cut and trimmed ready for the toaster, and the coffee is ground and placed in the coffee pot, securely covered so as to preserve the flavor. Then lay the table and cover it carefully. If any member of the family is to carry a lunch box, fill it carefully the night before, and, having wrapped each article carefully in waxed paper, it is found to be perfectly fresh and appetizing when opened. All this may be done in about fifteen minutes in the evening, and the relief it affords in the morning can be imagined.

Crab Apple Preserves and Jelly.

Parboil the crab apples, coring the larger ones but leaving the smaller ones, as they are, cores, skins and stems. Make a rich syrup, allowing eight pounds of sugar to a quart of water, and dissolve in this one teaspoonful of citric acid crystals, or add, if preferred, two tablespoonfuls lemon juice. Heat carefully, and when clear and thick put in the apples and cook gently for a few moments, watching carefully that the apples do not get so soft as to spoil their shape. A little ginger may be added for flavoring if desired, but in this case omit the lemon or citric acid.

To Clean Soiled Velvet.

First try sponging thoroughly with gasoline, using a little good white soap. Then rinse off with clean gasoline. Keep away from the fire during the process. Should this method fail, wash with warm water and soap, and, while still damp, press the right side of the velvet with a warm iron, moving it with the pile. Be very particular in regard to the heat of the iron. If too hot the velvet will be scorched and if too cool soil is apt to form. The ironing is really panning the velvet.

Tomato Jam.

Stew one-half peck tomatoes, skim, and when cooked thoroughly add a pint of the juice to a pint of sugar. Slice six lemons thin and, if liked, add a few sticks of cinnamon. Boil until a spoonful on a saucer will jelly. Pour in glasses; cover with paper soaked in brandy. This is economical.

Fried Oysters.

For delicious fried oysters, dip the bivalves in stiff mayonnaise and cracker crumbs twice—the crumbs last—and fry in deep fat.

COMMERCIAL

Weekly Review of Trade and Market Reports.

Bradstreet's says:

"Retail demand and reorder trade with jobbers in seasonable lines has been quickened by the week's weather developmnts. Collections have shown a certain degree of improvemnt also and are classed as fair to good, varying with the sections reporting. In leading industrial lines there is not much new to chronicle. In iron and steel a fair business is doing and trade is best in finished lines, but in the cruder forms it has not developed greatly. Where much is done it is claimed to have been at the expense of prices.

"Business failures for the week ended October 27 in the United States were 220, against 197 last week, 217 in the like week of 1909, 241 in 1908, 223 in 1907 and 163 in 1906."

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

"While the volume of business is still below productive capacity, it is noteworthy that trade recession has clearly been checked and a more optimistic view as to the future developed, based largely on the great corn and oats crop and the high values of farm products. It is true that no marked advance has been made toward increased activity, but the mere stopping of the retrograde movement is a notable gain, especially as the railroad-rate controversy is still unsettled; the power of the railroads for new construction and new purchases of rails and other supplies remains undetermined, while the period immediately preceding important elections is not generally favorable to a change of this character. The financial situation still largely controls the industrial and mercantile and much conservatism prevails that situation is not yet fully defined."

Wholesale Markets

NEW YORK.—Wheat spot steady; No. 2 red, 98¼c. elevator and 98¾ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 114⅝ f. o. b. afloat.

Corn spot easy; No. 2 corn, 56½c. elevator domestic basis to arrive c. i. f. and 57 f. o. b. afloat. December closed 55¼; May closed 57.

Oats spot firm; standard white, 37½c; No. 2, 38c.; No. 3, 37; No. 4, 36½.

Butter firm; receipts, 5,750 packages; creamery special, 32@32½c.

Eggs steady; receipts 8,742 crates; fresh gathered seconds, 23@24½c.

Poultry alive steady; spring chickens, 14c.; fowls, 13½@14; turkeys, 15@16; dressed steady; Western broilers, 16@22; fowls, 13½@17½; spring turkeys, 14@22.

PHILADELPHIA.—Wheat, ½c lower; contract grade No. 2 red in export elevator, 93@94.

Corn steady; December and January, 50@51.

Oats firm; No 2 white, natural, 38.

Butter steady; extra Western creamery, 33c.; do, nearby prints, 34.

Eggs firm; unchanged.

Cheese steady; New York full creams, choice, 15½c.; do, fair to good, 14@14½; October fancy, 14¾@15; fair to good, 14@14½.

Live poultry steady; fowls, 13@15c.; old roosters, 10½@11; spring chickens, 13@14; ducks, 15@16; geese, 14@15; turkeys, 17@19.

BALTIMORE.—Wheat—Sales on grade at 85c. for stock rejected; 90c for stock steamer No. 2 red; 91c for special bin steamer No. 2 red, and 95c. for No. 2 red. Small bag lots, by sample, brought 94c. per bu

Corn—Spot, 54¾c. nominal, year 50¾; January, 50½; February, 50⅝; March, 51½.

Oats—No. 2 white, 36¾@37c.; standard white, 36¼@36½; No. 3 white, 36@36¼; No. 4 white, 35½@35¾.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, $20@20.50; No. 2 timothy, $19@19.50; No. 3 timothy, $16@18; choice clover mixed, $18.50@19; No. 1 clover mixed, $17.50@18.50; No. 2 clover mixed, $14@16.50; No. 1 clover, $14@14.50; No. 2 clover, $12@13.50.

Butter—

Creamery Fancy	— @31
Creamery Choice	28½@29
Creamery Good	26½@27
Creamery Imitation	22 @24
Creamery Prints	31 @32

Cheese—Jobbing prices, per lb., 17@17½c.

Live Poultry—Chickens—Old hens, heavy, per lb., 14c.; old hens, small to medium, per lb. 13; young, choice, per lb., 14; rough and poor, per lb., 12@13; old roosters, 10. Ducks—Old, per lb., 13@14; young white Pekings, per lb., 15@16; young Muscovy and mongrel, per lb., 15@16; puddle, per lb., 14. Geese—Nearby, per lb., 12@14c; Western and Southern, per lb., 11@12.

Live Stock

CHICAGO—Cattle—Market weak; beeves, $4.50@7.80; Texas steers, $3.35@5.65; Western steers, $4@6.75; stockers and feeders, $4.20@5.50; cows and heifers, $2.20@6.25; calves, $7.25@10.

Hogs—Market rather slow; light, $8.56@9.10; mixed, $8.05@9.05; heavy, $7.80@8.95; rough, $7.80@8; good to choice heavy, $8@8.95; pigs, $8.15@8.80; bulk of sales $8.10@8.85.

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CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Lutheran—Spring Mills, morning, communion, preparatory service Saturday evening; Tusseyville, afternoon, communion, preparatory service Friday evening; Centre Hall, evening.

Evangelica'—Mountain, Thursday evening; Green Grove, Friday evening; Zion, Saturday evening and Sunday morning; Linden Hall, Sunday afternoon at three o'clock; Spring Mills, evening, communion, preaching by Rev. B. F. Bohner, presiding elder.

No Darkness for Millheim.

Millheim voted to bond the borough for $9,000 with which to erect an electric light plant. The vote stood thus: for light, 69; against, 50.

Spring Mills.

Joseph Deihl, of Howard, was a visitor between trains on Thursday afternoon.

Those who attended Mrs. Jane Nofsker's funeral from a distance were, Harry Miller and wife, of Mill Hall; William Steely and wife, of Sunbury; John Nofsker, of Altoona; Dr. Schuyler, Mr. and Mrs. George Goodhart, Mrs. Joseph Lutz, Mrs. H. W. Kreamer and Mrs. Daniel Daup, of Centre Hall; M. N. Miller and family, of Sprucetown; Rev. G. W. McIlnay, of Dudley.

The lecture on Country Churches given by Rev. J. Morrison, of Bellons, N. Y., was highly appreciated by those who heard him.

Communion services were observed on Sunday in the Methodist, Presbyterian and Georges Valley Lutheran churches.

Daniel Kennelly Jr., of Shamokin, came home to vote.

Mrs. Robert Finkle, who had been quite ill for a few days, is better at this writing.

Robert Kennelly moved into W. M. Grove's house vacated by John Lloyd. Herbert Gentzell and sister moved into Daniel Heckman's house vacated by Robert Kennelly.

R. U. Bitner moved his family to Avis, where he has been employed for the last two years. Mr. Bitner has an interesting little family and the community were sorry to see them leave.

Elizabeth Frederick is at Centre Hall, caring for her sick sister, Mrs. Hubbler.

W. M. Grove is spending a few days with his family.

Rev. Snook is holding protracted meeting at Green Grove.

A number of people expect to attend the recital given by the class of elocution, at Millheim, in the M. E. church on Friday evening.

Linden Hall.

Charles Weaver has been suffering for several weeks with carbuncles on the knee.

Miss Elizabeth Davis is improving slowly from her recent illness.

Mrs. Mitchell Garbrick and little daughter Winona are visiting among relatives here.

George Meyer and wife, of Milton, are spending this week with his mother, Mrs. Agnes Meyer. On Monday George shot an eleven pound wild turkey on Nittany Mountain.

Joseph Markle, of White Deer, and John Markle, of Tyrone, were here for a few days owing to the serious illness of their brother William, at the home of their brother, George Markle. Mr. Markle died Wednesday morning; interment Friday morning.

Mrs. William McClintic returned Saturday from a few days visit with friends in Bellefonte.

J. H. Miller, of Rock Springs, was a recent visitor in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall and Miss Luella Ross attended a dance in the Boal Hall on Tuesday evening.

Andy Long, of Spring Mills, came up on Tuesday to the home of his brother-in-law, J. L. Tressler, for a horse he bought recently.

OaK Hall.

Mrs. Mitchell Garbrick and little daughter Winona, of Bedford, are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Philip Dale has returned from a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Patterson, at Johnstown.

Mrs. Edward Sellers has been ill for several days.

Miss Grace Carper, of Linden Hall, is spending some time in town.

W. J. Dale, of Pine Grove Mills, was in town on Saturday.

Miss Clara Shaffer left for Roaring Springs Wednesday, after spending several months at the home of James C. Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dale spent Sunday afternoon at Hazel Del.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ross, of Pleasant Gap, accompanied by some friends were guests at the home of Mrs. Ada Benner on Sunday.

A number of people from this place attended the funeral of Mrs. Henry Houtz on Tuesday morning.

DIX CARRIES NEW YORK

Democrats Sweep State For Governor and Entire Ticket.

BLOW TO COL. ROOSEVELT

The Entire State Ticket Is Elected For the First Time Since 1894—Republicans Lost Several Congressmen.

New York, Nov. 9.—New York state elected the whole Democratic state ticket. Dix, Democrat, defeated Stimson, Republican, for governor by 100,000 plurality. For the first time since 1894 the Democrats will control the executive departments of the state government after Jan. 1.

In 1906 Hughes, Republican, carried the state by a plurality of 57,897 over Hearst, Democrat, and in 1908, a presidential year, Hughes beat Chanler, a Democrat, by 69,462.

This year the candidates for minor offices on the Democratic ticket ran well up with Stimson.

In 1906 the Democratic candidates for all state offices except governor were elected. In 1902 Cuneen, Democrat and Prohibition, was elected attorney general. With these exceptions the men elected are the first Democrats chosen to office since 1894, when Flower was elected governor.

Dix Got Labor Vote.

The railroad labor vote, as shown by returns from Hornell and other railroad traffic centers up the state, has gone against the Republicans, notwithstanding the strenuous efforts of Colonel Roosevelt and Mr. Hearst's newspapers to make the tag of "thirteen hours a day" stick to John A. Dix.

Congressman Herbert Parsons, formerly chairman of the Republican county committee here, is defeated by Jefferson M. Levy, in the Thirteenth district. The election of J. Sloat Fassett, in the Thirty-third district, is in doubt. His home city of Elmira went against him by 1100, and the city of Corning gave 300 plurality for his opponent, Edwin S. Underhill.

In the Oneida-Herkimer senatorial district Senator Davenport, the leader of the insurgents there, is probably defeated. Utica, Vice President Sherman's home city, went against Davenport by 2500.

Congressman Sereno E. Payne, the joint author of the tariff bill, got a black eye in his home city of Auburn, but is re-elected. The Democrats have made gains for the assembly, but it is probable the senate will remain Republican, possibly a majority of three or four.

Roosevelt Loses Home District.

In Roosevelt's own home district, the Fifth of Nassau county, Dix won out with a plurality of 50 votes. The district is normally Republican by 125 votes. The reasons which operated to bring about this result in Roosevelt's own district evidently apply to the whole state of New York, especially so in the farming sections.

The Democratic state headquarters claims that the Democrats have carried the legislature and will elect the successor to Senator Depew.

Returns indicate that the Republicans have lost every congressional district in Manhattan and the Bronx.

The result is regarded as a severe blow to Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, who made a whirlwind campaign in behalf of Mr. Stimson, who was nominated at the convention of which Mr. Roosevelt was temporary chairman. Those personally and politically opposed to Mr. Roosevelt made a hard fight for Dix.

Dix Renews Platform Pledges.

Thompson, N. Y., Nov. 9.—John A. Dix said: "The crisis has been met by the sober common sense of good citizenship. The door has been opened for reform, retrenchment and honest administration. As governor I shall adhere to the strict performance of the pledges of the party platform."

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Insurgent Republican Elected Governor by 5000 Plurality.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 9.—Robert P. Bass, reform Republican candidate for governor, is elected by a plurality of 5000.

Frank D. Currier is re-elected for congress from the Second district.

Cyrus A. Sulliway is also believed to be elected from the first district by a greatly reduced majority.

The legislature will be Republican by a good margin.

There is no United States senator to be elected this year.

Democratic Gains In West Virginia.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 9. — The Democrats of West Virginia made big gains in every section of the state, electing to congress John W. Davis in the First district; W. G. Brown, in the Second, and John M. Hamilton, in the Fourth. Five state senators and thirty or more members of the legislature also were gained, it is claimed, but the results are so close in some instances that the official count will be necessary. If the gain in the legislature be as great as indicated it means the retirement of Nathan B. Scott from the United States senate.

JOHN A. DIX.

Elected Governor of New York on Democratic Ticket.

INDIANA IN DOUBT

Vote Is Very Close, With Democrats In the Lead.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 9.—Reports from about one-third of the state outside of Marion county show that the vote is very close on the state ticket, but that the Democrats are leading by a slight majority.

In order to overcome the vote of 1906, with which comparisons are being made, they must gain nine votes to the precinct. The returns show that the average gain is about seven to the precinct, with only a small percentage of the country precincts reported.

While the Republican legislative ticket, consisting of eight candidates for representative and one candidate for senator, is making a better showing than the state ticket, there is no possibility of its being elected.

This counts strongly against Senator Beveridge, and his managers are greatly discouraged over the vote in this county. They admit that the outlook is bad, but they don't concede that the legislature will be Democratic, though the indications are now that it will be.

HARMON CARRIES OHIO

Democratic Governor Re-elected by 50,000 Plurality.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 9.—Ohio joined in the Democratic landslideing by re-electing Governor Judson Harmon by a plurality which the Democratic state headquarters estimates at better than 50,000.

The state ticket under the governorship is in doubt. The legislature also is in doubt, though Democratic victories in Lucas, Hamilton, Cuyahoga and other big counties indicates a possible Democratic majority on joint ballot.

The election of only a few congressmen is assured, those certainly elected being: J. H. Geeke, Dem., Fourth district; W. A. Ashbrook, Dem., Seventeenth; James M. Cox, Dem., Third; Nicholas Longworth, Rep., First. Jas. Cassidy, Twenty-first, and Paul Howland, Twentieth, both Republicans, are probably defeated by R. H. Bulkley and William Gordon, Democrats.

FOSS ELECTED GOVERNOR

Democratic Gubernatorial Candidate Wins by 24,000 Plurality.

Boston, Nov. 9.—Congressman Eugene N. Foss was elected governor of Massachusetts by a plurality of 24,000. The remainder of the Republican ticket went into office.

The defeat of Governor Eben S. Draper, the Republican nominee, is due to the agitation over the increased cost of necessities and the outcry that the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill is one of the chief causes.

The incoming legislature will show large Democratic gains, but there are still enough Republicans to insure the re-election of Senator Lodge, even should there be a fusion of Democrats and what few anti-Lodge Republicans who may have crept in.

Rhode Island Elects Republicans.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 9.—The re-election of Republican congressmen, Republican governor and state ticket and a Republican mayor of Providence is indicated. For governor, Lewis A. Waterman, the Democratic candidate, has reduced over 1000 Governor Pothier's figures of last year, when Pothier had a plurality of nearly 12,000. In spite of this inward showing Republicans claim Pothier's re-election by at least 5000 plurality and the election of the rest of the state ticket is conceded.

Result In North Carolina.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 9.—Steadman Dem., for congress in the Fifth district, polled heavier majority than was anticipated. May reach 2500, defeating Blair, Rep., for seat now held by Moorehead, Rep. Cowles, Rep., in the Eighth, is re-elected by reduced majority. It is impossible to tell at present whether Grant, Rep., is re-elected in the Tenth. Majority will not be over 500 either way. McIntosh, Rep., polled a heavy vote in the Ninth, but Webb Dem., is re-elected. The state went Democratic by 30,000.

TENER WINS IN PENNSYLVANIA

Republican Nominee Elected by Reduced Plurality.

GRIM HOPELESSLY LOST

Berry, Keystone Candidate, Ran Second and Was Strong in Western Counties.

Philadelphia, Nov. 9.—Pennsylvania, the bulwark for years of Republicanism, held her own and elected a Republican governor, returned a legislature overwhelmingly Republican and will also send to congress a great majority of Republicans.

It is estimated that the plurality of John K. Tener, Republican candidate for governor, will reach 25,000. Grim, the Democratic candidate, is hopelessly lost.

Hon. John Dalzell, Republican, was re-elected in the Thirtieth congressional district.

The Keystone leaders had confidently claimed the western part of the state for their candidate, William H. Berry, but returns from the western counties seemed to show that Tener would have a safe plurality there, too.

If the ratio of the early returns from Allegheny county is maintained the Republican nominee will carry that county by a plurality of about 25,000.

There was an unusualy heavy vote at the polls in all parts of the state, and workers for the three big parties bent every effort to getting out every follower who had registered. In western Pennsylvania particularly the fight was waged with a fierceness that stirred many a chronic stay-at-home poliwards.

Throughout the state the split ticket seemed to predominate. There was so much cutting that the voting progressed slower than usual and kept the polls thronged almost all the time. Though there was snow and rain in many counties this had little effect on the vote.

Reports from Pittsburg and the western counties indicated a sentiment for Berry that was said to surprise even the Keystone leaders. Betting there favored the Keystone ticket.

Secretary of State Philander C. Knox went to Pittsburg to vote, but was unable to do so because he had neglected to register.

In the central counties the state tickets ran a neck and neck race, although in most of these counties the election of local Republicans is predicted. Lancaster county expects to send almost the entire Republican delegation to the state legislature.

Reports from West Chester declare that the re-election of Congressman Thomas S. Butler, Republican, in the Chester-Delaware district, is generally conceded.

VIRGINIA DEMOCRATIC

Sole Republican Congressman Ousted by the Democrats.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 9. — For the first time in years Virginia will be represented in the next congress by a solid Democratic delegation, Stuart, the Democratic nominee in the Ninth district, having won out over Slemp the Republican incumbent, who was seeking re-election. All the other Democratic candidates were elected, including Holland, in the Second district, and Saunders, the present incumbent, in the Fifth.

A Democratic legislature also was elected to choose a successor to former Governor Claude A. Swanson, who was appointed to the United States senate to fill out the unexpired term of the late Senator Daniel.

The state also voted on proposed constitutional amendments to make the session of the general assembly 90 days long instead of 60 days; to allow county and city treasurers to succeed themselves in office immediately; to provide that commissioners of the revenue be elected by the people and may hold office indefinitely, and to provide that a bill may be read only once at length in each house of the general assembly, instead of three times, as at present.

Idaho Efects Republican.

Boise, Idaho, Nov. 9.—Returns indicate the election of the entire Republican ticket, headed by Brady for governor, but by reduced majorities. French, an insurgent, seems certain of election to congress. The legislature will be Republican, but there is no United States senator to elect. The only issue is submission of a state wide prohibition amendment.

Light Vote In Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 9. — While a light vote was cast over Kentucky, the Democrats carried the following districts: First, Ollie M. James, Dem., no opposition; Second, A. O. Stanley, Dem.; Third, Thomas, Dem., district normally Republican; Fourth, Johnson, Dem.; Fifth, Sherley, Dem. All of the above congressmen were re elected.

Republicans Carry Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 9.—The Republicans gained a sweeping victory in Wisconsin, electing F. E. McGovern, the gubernatorial candidate, by 50,000 and returning LaFollette to the senate by an even greater plurality.

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	Tener R	Grim D	Berry K	Reynolds R	Greevy D	Gibboney K	Houck R	Blakslee D	Casey K	Patton R	Heinle D	Alexander R	Stewart D
Bellefonte, N W	136	44	137	130	55	125	149	57	94	159	103	155	124
Bellefonte S W	94	48	141	91	62	124	105	71	94	125	128	112	130
Bellefonte, W W	35	22	66	37	21	66	42	23	55	59	48	42	55
Centre Hall	23	15	80	27	14	72	29	18	62	57	41	33	65
Howard	56	10	54	60	20	34	66	23	26	79	35	74	35
Milesburg	54	6	24	51	10	18	54	8	15	59	16	53	17
Millheim	20	35	54	21	41	46	24	42	38	29	68	24	66
Philipsburg, 1st W	45	20	59	45	22	54	52	29	37	86	31	65	42
Philipsburg, 2d W	81	14	68	77	22	62	88	32	34	102	49	83	60
Philipsburg, 3d W	52	12	69	52	14	64	67	19	41	87	28	74	40
South Philipsburg	10	6	14	16	6	9	12	9	5	20	8	11	10
State College	67	27	132	71	57	91	98	56	67	143	85	120	90
Snow Shoe	44	15	37	43	25	26	45	26	20	53	41	50	35
Unionville	26	7	26	27	14	18	32	13	14	34	23	42	15
Benner, N P	26	19	35	29	18	26	32	17	26	37	34	32	39
Benner S	23	14	28	24	17	21	21	21	14	25	26	24	22
Boggs, N	21	5	12	21	8	6	22	8	5	23	14	22	11
Boggs, W	63	18	31	66	23	24	65	21	21	73	34	70	32
Boggs, E	31	8	23	32	12	16	33	12	14	40	19	33	16
Burnside	8	6	11	9	7	5	8	7	8	9	16	9	14
College	89	16	69	91	30	50	97	27	44	132	44	109	43
Curtin, N	14	4	9	14	6	6	14	6	6	17	8	17	7
Curtin, S	22	6	9	21	9	7	22	8	7	21	13	21	11
Ferguson, E	39	30	95	44	53	64	50	69	36	60	93	56	94
Ferguson, W	42	10	36	46	13	30	57	13	18	50	24	56	21
Gregg, N	3	11	25	4	13	22	3	15	21	6	32	3	33
Gregg, E	13	27	44	14	30	40	14	32	38	15	68	13	66
Gregg, W	42	52	49	36	55	38	39	58	33	43	81	39	82
Haines E	16	11	42	17	27	24	17	26	25	18	43	17	44
Haines, W	35	23	40	35	36	29	38	40	22	42	51	43	52
Halfmoon	45	3	48	53	7	29	58	11	23	70	21	63	17
Harris, E	10	17	23	11	22	16	12	23	14	12	30	13	30
Harris, W	19	6	69	19	12	61	21	17	54	35	48	30	50
Howard	42	4	39	46	10	24	47	10	24	53	25	49	29
Huston	40	9	49	44	9	29	49	19	24	61	31	57	34
Liberty, E	64	9	32	67	15	16	68	16	14	69	28	66	23
Liberty, W	3	2	6	6	1	3	6	3	1	8	2	6	3
Marion	19	13	45	22	34	21	24	34	17	26	43	25	41
Miles, E	4	14	16	4	14	14	5	15	11	3	26	3	23
Miles, M	32	38	45	31	52	28	34	52	22	35	76	31	76
Miles, W	10	17	30	10	23	21	12	24	17	12	43	11	42
Potter, N	18	12	61	20	22	48	21	36	31	31	56	25	54
Potter, S	24	10	65	27	21	43	27	23	41	30	53	30	55
Potter, W	4	6	65	3	7	61	4	6	62	12	60	6	65
Patton	86	13	27	86	24	15	92	20	13	91	30	93	28
Penn	14	29	71	15	39	59	16	43	49	19	87	15	82
Rush, N	22	11	37										
Rush, W	19	11	44	25	13	33	29	12	31	37	25	29	27
Rush, S	50	4	36	46	10	26	47	8	19	60	21	34	47
Rush, E	12	4	14	10	8	14	14	13	10	7	22	12	14
Snow Shoe E	57	14	9	58	15	4	59	14	4	59	14	59	17
Snow Shoe, W	18	3	26	16	11	18	17	8	19	21	23	20	23
Spring, N	31	9	44	26	18	35	28	17	32	35	40	30	37
Spring, S	83	45	62	77	60	46	83	65	35	96	88	90	84
Spring, W	45	13	27	48	14	25	53	15	17	52	26	55	22
Taylor	32	1	11	36	2	7	34	2	7	35	5	33	5
Union	59	7	32	59	13	23	64	14	19	79	23	71	20
Walker, E	33	16	11	33	21	7	33	22	6	34	24	33	25
Walker, M	9	4	37	11	25	25	13	24	22	16	41	15	39
Walker, W	19	11	45	18	24	30	21	24	27	21	46	19	45
Worth	62	10	57	71	18	34	73	18	31	73	34	69	31

BERRY MAY WIN.

At 5 o'clock Wednesday evening the North American sent a message to the Reporter saying the result in Pennsylvania was in the balance, no one knowing who was elected governor.

Tener's majority at that time was 12,000, but the returns were constantly reducing these figures.

Berry has a chance to win.

Total Votes in County.

Tener	2218
Grim	930
Berry	2673
Patton	2875
Heinle	2450
Alexander	2618
Stewart	2497

Election in the Borough.

The election in the borough passed off very quietly. A total of one hundred and twenty votes were cast, the poll books showing a larger per cent. of Republican than Democratic votes being cast. The vote in full is given here :

Governor—Tener 23, Grim 15, Larkin 2, Berry 80.

Lieutenant Governor—Reynolds 27, Grevy 14, McConkey 2, Gibboney 72.

Secretary of Internal Affairs—Houck 29, Blakslee 18, Casey 62

Congress—Patton 45 R. and 12 P., total 57 ; Heinle 41.

Senator—Alexander 33, Stewart 65 and Watts 7.

Representative—Meyer 42 R. and 57 D., total 99 ; Howarth 9.

Stewart Defeated.

Stewart, for state senator, has been defeated by Alexander, Republican. Centre gave Alexander a majority of 121. Clearfield's majority will be several hundred for Alexander.

Berry Carries Centre.

Berry's majority for governor in Centre county is four hundred and fifty-five.

Straw Ride to Centre Hall.

The members of the senior class of the Bellefonte High School "rode straw" to Centre Hall, Friday evening, and were entertained at the home of Miss Helen Luse. The party was conveyed by one of the Bellefonte liverymen. Mrs. Ardel and Mrs. Smith acted as chaperons. The participants in this night out were : Misses Sarah Shuey, Anna Shuey, Martha McClure, Helen McClure, Dorthy Jenkins. Adaline Kline, Alice Barnhard, Messrs. Love, Miller, Keller, Jenkins, Stertaul, Noll, Gearhart.

Marriage Licenses.

Robert B. Hall, Fleming
Maude E. Lambert, Fleming
Howard R. Boyer, Lemont
Flossie O. Markle, Axe Mann
Lloyd H. Webner, Nittany
Bessie M. Liddick, Hublersburg
Philip Kusey, Philipsburg
Anna Everhart, Philipsburg

DEATHS.

One of the saddest deaths in Centre Hall in a long while was that of Mrs. Gress, wife of Rev. Daniel Gress, which occurred Tuesday morning at about 9:30 o'clock. She had been in her usual health on that morning, and after taking her breakfast, she went up stairs to attend to some household duties. While in the bath room, she suffered a stroke of paralysis, but was able to go to her bed room where her sister, Miss Black, discovered her illness. Her condition was at once seen to be very serious. A physician was summoned, and word sent to her husband who was temporarily absent from the home. Both reached the bedside of the woman in a very brief time, but nothing remained to do, except to wait for the final parting of life from its clay abode. This came within one hour after the first observed illness.

The news of the death soon spread over town, and was sent to the members of the Reformed church and others throughout the valley. There was sadness everywhere.

Mrs. Gress, whose maiden name was Emma Jane Black, was born April 27, 1870. Her marriage took place September 2, 1903, a short time after her husband became the pastor of the Centre Hall charge. There survive three children : Margaret, aged six ; Sarah Elizabeth, four and Dorothy Jane, two and one-half years old.

Mrs. Gress was held in the highest esteem by her acquaintances, without regard to church affiliations. She was much devoted to her children and husband, yet always took a lively interest in church work.

The members of the Black family surviving are three brothers and a sister, namely : Harry and George and Miss Margaret, of Irwin ; and Hezekiah, in the west.

Services were held over the remains on Wednesday morning, conducted by Rev. W. Donat, of Aaronsburg, Rev. W. H. Schuyler, Rev. S. A. Snyder and Rev. B. F. Bieber, local pastors, assisting. The body was accompanied to Adamsburg by the family and Miss Black where interment was made.

After suffering from a complication of diseases for about one year, Mrs. Rebecca Houtz died at her home, near Linden Hall, on last Friday evening, at nine o'clock. Mrs. Houtz was a daughter of Simeon and Barbara Kline, of Troxelville, Snyder county. She came to Linden Hall at the time of her marriage to Henry Houtz and having lived in that neighborhood until the time of her death she will be greatly missed. She was a kind, christian neighbor, a loving and affectionate mother and a consistent member of the Lutheran church, having united with that denomination when a young girl. She was always very attentive to her church duties, and regularly attended the services, as long as her health permitted her to do so. She was always anxious for the welfare of her children, that they should follow in her footsteps in serving her Lord. She bore her long suffering with patience and fortitude, always trusting in Jesus.

There survive her one sister, Mrs. Margaret Herman, of Troxelville, and one brother, Harrison Kline, of Bellevue, Ohio, and six children, namely : Harvey G., Toledo, Ohio ; Elmer E., Boalsburg ; Ellen B., wife of James J. Ross, Linden Hall ; Lizzie A., wife of Samuel Gingerich, Centre Hall; Lillie M., wife of William Houser, Pleasant Gap, and Mary A., wife of Edward Cunningham, Linden Hall, on the home farm. The deceased had her home with the last named for the last two years. Her husband preceded her to the grave four years ago.

Mrs. Houtz was aged seventy-three years, eight months and twenty-seven days. Interment took place Tuesday morning, at ten o'clock, in the Boalsburg cemetery ; services conducted by Rev. J. I. Stonecypher, of the Lutheran church, pastor of the deceased.

Mrs. Nancy Leech Black died at the home of her son-in-law Frank Swabb, at Pine Grove Mills, Saturday morning, aged seventy-two years, four months and six days. Death was due to an affection of the heart. She was a dear old lady, and early in life was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Before marriage the deceased was Miss Mary Leech. She was the mother of six children, two of whom survive: Mrs. Effie Aulman, of Altoona ; and Mrs. Frank Swabb, with whom she made her home for a few years. One brother, James Leech, of Pittsburg ; and two sisters, Anna, in Minnesota ; and May in Sandusky, Ohio. Interment will be made Monday, at one o'clock, in Graysville cemetery, on the Leech plot, Rev. J. S. Shultz to officiate.

Thomas Evans died at Monroe, Wisconsin, aged eighty years. He went west in 1863 from the old Evans homestead, at Spring Mills, having previously married Caroline Wagner, who died eight years ago. One son, John W. and one daughter, Mrs. Hattie Thorp survive, as does also a sister, Mrs. Emma Benage.

He enlisted in Co. A, of the 46th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and served to the end of the war.

Mr. Evans was a quiet, pleasant man, beloved by his family and respected by all his neighbors.

John Keefer, father of Mrs. W. L. Campbell of Coburn, died at the home of the latter on Sunday, aged eighty-three years. Short services were held Monday, prior to shipping the body to Benton for interment. Mr. Keefer had made his home with the Campbell family for a year.

WILSON WINS IN NEW JERSEY

Democrat Gubernatorial Candidate Elected by 20,000.

U. S. SENATOR IN DOUBT

But Republicans May Keep Control of the Legislature — Lewis Loses In Southern Part of State.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 9.—Woodrow Wilson, Democrat, was elected governor of New Jersey, defeating Vivian M. Lewis, Republican, by a plurality of 20,000. This may be greatly increased when complete returns have been received.

Whether the Democratic landslide for the head of the ticket will carry with it control of the legislature and the election of a Democratic United States senator is in doubt.

The early indications were that the Republicans would remain in control of both the senate and assembly. They surely will control the senate.

The earliest returns were from the few voting machines scattered throughout the state, but these showed figures so pronouncedly for Wilson that there was little question as to what would be the result when fuller returns were received.

Lewis had expected the large commuter vote in North Jersey to go heavily against him, but believed he would more than make up these losses in the Republican strongholds of South Jersey, especially in Camden and Atlantic counties.

When the Camden county voting machine returns showed that Lewis was running far behind Fort and figures from several of the other usually very strong Republican counties were likewise discouraging to the Republicans, they saw it was only a matter of how great would be Wilson's plurality.

Not even the most sanguine of the election prophets in Democratic ranks had predicted returns so favorable to Wilson, and the Republican leaders at the headquarters here attributed the overthrow of their candidate as largely due to the great feeling of unrest and the Democratic landslide that had been threatening for some time to sweep the country.

What is considered by some as a master stroke on the part of the Wilson campaign managers came to light when it was noted that the packages of Wilson "stickers" for use on Republican ballots bore the "union label" trademark. Most of the Lewis stickers likewise bore the label, but in Wilson's case it was especially significant by reason of the question that arose during the campaign as to whether the Democratic nominee was a friend of organied labor.

CONNECTICUT DEMOCRATIC

Democratic Candidate, Who Was Scored by Roosevelt, Elected Governor.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 9.—Judge Simeon E. Baldwin, Democrat, was elected governor of Connecticut by a plurality of 6000.

The Republicans admit that the congressional seat in the Second district, so long held by N. D. Sperry, dean of the house, is in danger of going to Thomas L. Reilly, Democrat.

The Republicans have so many local fights on their hands that indications point to a gain of from 60 to 70 seats in the general assembly for the Democrats. The use of the Australian ballot for the first time at a general election and the expected closeness of the vote for governor have raised speculation as to the possibility of the election being thrown into the courts over protested ballots thrown out by local moderators.

LOCALS.

Miss Libbie Davis, of near Linden Hall, has been ill for some time.

W. Thomas Boal, of Centre Hill, advertises that he is ready to receive calls as an auctioneer.

An exhibition of the Pitner inverted light was given in Centre Hall, Monday evening. A small lamp, built especially for the home, was set up in the residence of W. H. Meyer, and a larger one in the Reporter office, by C. M. Gramley, of Rebersburg. Both lamps gave out splendid light, lighting the interior and shedding a strong light over the street. The fixtures to the Pitner light are very simple, and can be put into position in less than fifteen minutes. The generator can be set on a shelf, floor, or located in some out of way corner, a single hollow wire being all that is required to connect it with the lamp. The cheapest grades of gasoline may be used, thus cheapening the cost of operating. If you have any notion of improving your lighting system, call on Mr. Gramley before you contract for the same.

Jewelry Store for Sale.

The jewelry store of the late G. W. Bushman, in Centre Hall, is offered at private sale. There being no other jewelry store for miles, this offers a good opening for sales business and repair work. All jewelry, watches, silverware and clocks are offered for sale, and any goods wanted which is not carried in stock will be ordered promptly. Any one having work at the store for repairs will please call for it at once.

D. Ross Bushman.

Rev. Daniel Gress and children will not return from Westmoreland county for two weeks or more.

GRAIN MARKET.

Rye	70	Wheat, new 90; old	10
Barley	55	Oats	32
		Corn	60

PRODUCE AT STORES.

Lard	18	Butter	25
Potatoes	40	Eggs	31

Many school children suffer from constipation, which is often the cause of seeming stupidity at lessons. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are an ideal medicine to give a child, for they are mild and gentle in their effect, and will cure even chronic constipation. Sold by Murray & Bitner.

AUCTIONEER—The undersigned announces that he is a practical auctioneer, and is ready to receive calls for farm stock, and real estate sales.

W. THOMAS BOAL,
(Centre Hill)
o may15-pd. Spring Mills, Pa.

Alfalfa for Hens

A limited quantity of Alfalfa is offered for sale by the undersigned.

RED TAG ALFALFA - - - 1¼c lb.
PINK TAG ALFALFA - - - 1c lb.

(Less 5 per ct. for cash with order)

THE RED TAG ALFALFA is the latter cut and is fine and green.

THE PINK TAG ALFALFA is green but a bit coarser than Red Tag Alfalfa. Otherwise the Pink Tag Alfalfa is first quality.

Sold only in bale lots, which run about 100 lbs. per bale. Prices quoted mean delivered f. o. b. at Centre Hall station, on L. & T. R. R.

Orders will now be booked for December delivery. The quantity is limited, as only the surplus over a car load is offered at these prices. Last year many requests came too late.

S. W. SMITH,
CENTRE HALL, PENN.

DEATHS.

After an illness of but ten days, Mrs. John L. Dunlap died at her home in Bellefonte, Monday forenoon, aged fifty-one years, three months and four days. Interment will be made this (Thursday) forenoon, in the Union cemetery, Bellefonte, Rev. Schmidt and Rev. Hewitt officiating. Her death was due to pleurisy and pneumonia.

Before her marriage thirty-one years ago to John L. Dunlap, who is at present one of Centre county's commissioners, Mrs. Dunlap was Margaret Frances Shutt, and was born at Jacksonville. Her husband survives, as do also the eight children to whom she gave birth, namely : Sarah, Jesse C., Newton S., Carrie C., Mary E., Catharine A., Margaret E., and Winifred J., as do also a sister, Mrs. J. C. Brown, of Potters Mills, and two brothers, Frank W. and Samuel Shutt, of Wellington, Ohio.

Reporter Register.

Emma A. Wolfe, Ardmore
W. H. Matter, Spring Mills
Mrs. P. E. Mersinger and son John, Centre Hill
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dashem, Centre Hall
Wilbur Dashem, Centre Hall
Mary Kline, Centre Hall
Blanche Reiber, Colyer
Ada Meese, Colyer
Roxana Kline, Centre Hall
Fred Tyson, Rebersburg
C. M. Gramley, Rebersburg
J. Maxwell Morrison, Bellona, N. Y.
B. Gardner Grove, Spring Mills
Sarah Spangler, Centre Hall
Mrs. Mary Odenkirk, Centre Hall
Mae Zettle, Centre Hall
Mrs. Martin Shatto, York
Mrs. James Fetterolf, Centre Hall

Mrs. Mary A. Odenkirk returned from a visit to her son, W. Porter Odenkirk, at Lewistown. She frequently makes trips to Mifflin county, the interesting little family of grandchildren being one of the main reasons for them.

J. Q. A. KENNEDY

HIGH CLASS WORK DONE
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED
PRICES REASONABLE

For the past ten years I have been repairing Watches, Jewelry, etc., at my home west of Centre Hall, but of late I have given the business more attention, and in the future practically all my time will be devoted to the jewelry business.

J. Q. A. KENNEDY
Centre Hall Pa.

LADIES'
"FITZ-EZY" SHOES
will cure corns!

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Speed, Comfort and Safety in Automobiles depend largely upon using the right Gasoline.

Waverly Gasolines—three grades—

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Power Without Carbon

Instantaneous, powerful, clean explosion—quick ignition—no carbon deposits—these are guaranteed. All refined products. No "natural" gasolines used.

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COUNTRY AWAKE TO DANGER

Increase of Sanatoria and Hospitals for Consumptives Is Most Gratifying.

The growth of the crusade against tuberculosis in the United States is shown to good advantage in the two directories that have been issued by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis and the one in preparation. The first tuberculosis directory published in 1904, by the tuberculosis committee of the New York Charity Organization Society and the National Association listed 133 sanatoria and hospitals for consumptives in the United States, for some of which preliminary provision only has been made. The combined capacity of these institutions was only 8,000 beds. Thirty-two special dispensaries and thirty-nine anti-tuberculosis organizations summed up practically all of the fighting force enumerated in the first directory. The second directory was prepared by the National Association for the study and Prevention of Tuberculosis and published under the auspices of the Russell Sage Foundation in August, 1908. This directory listed 240 sanatoria and hospitals, an increase of 107 from the former directory; 158 dispensaries, an increase of 126; and 195 associations, an increase of 156. The number of hospital beds listed in 1908 was 14,014.

The new directory that will be issued soon, will list over 400 sanatoria and hospitals with a bed capacity of nearly 25,000; more than 300 special tuberculosis dispensaries; and fully 450 anti-tuberculosis associations and committees. Since the first directory was issued in 1904, the increase in the number of agencies fighting consumption aggregates nearly 500 per cent.

The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis would like to get in touch with all agencies engaged in the fight against tuberculosis, in order that they may be listed in the new directory.

SICK, SOUR, UPSET STOMACH

Indigestion, Gas, Heartburn or Dyspepsia Relieved Five Minutes After Taking a Little Diapepsin.

Here is a harmless preparation which surely will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach within five minutes.

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of Indigestion.

Get from your Pharmacist a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is waiting for you at any drug store here in town.

These large 50-cent cases of Pape's Diapepsin contain more than sufficient to thoroughly cure almost any case of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Gastritis or any other stomach disorder.

On Authority of Teacher.

A quick-witted boy, asking food at a farmhouse too recently ravaged by other hungry fishing truants, was told that he was big enough to wait until he got home.

"Of course, if you have children with you——" hesitated the kindly woman of the house, and was immediately informed that there were six children in the party.

"No, I don't tell a fib, neither," was the indignant protest later drawn forth by the condemnation of one who had shared the good bread and butter thus secured. "Fib nothin'. We're children six times over. We're children of our father and mother, children of God, children of our country, children of the church an' children of grace. Teacher said so last Thursday, and I guess she ought to know."

Lover's Wedding Cake.

Four pounds of our of love, half a pound of buttered youth, half a pound of good looks, half a pound of sweet temper, half a pound of self-forgetfulness, half a pound of powdered wits, half an ounce of dry humor, two tablespoonfuls of sweet argument, half a pint of rippling laughter, half a wineglassful of common sense.

Then put the flour of love, good looks and sweet temper into a well-furnished house. Beat the butter of youth to a cream. Mix together blindness of faults, self-forgetfulness, powdered wits, dry humor into sweet argument, then add them to the above. Pour in gently rippling laughter and common sense. Work it together until all is well mixed, then bake gently forever.

Expecting Too Much.

It was a cold, raw day, but the Neversweats and the Fearnoughts were playing a game of ball on the prairie, just the same.

The pitcher of the Neversweats, his fingers half frozen, failed dismally in getting the balls over the plate.

"Aw," said the captain, "I t'ought ye wus one o' dese cold weather pitchers!"

"I am," said the slab artist, blowing on his benumbed digits to warm them, "but I ain't a ice pitcher, blame ye!"

HIS HEALTH RESTORED.

Terrible Kidney Trouble Cured After Physicians Gave Up Hope.

Edward Gelston, 82 Wallace St., Bridgeport, Conn., says: "So painful were the passages of the kidney secretions that neighbors heard me scream two blocks away. Every doctor in town treated me. I was in three different hospitals and had two operations but was finally taken home to die. A physician made affidavit that I could not live six months. As a last resort I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and soon noticed improvement. Under their use I gained in weight from 134 to 177¾ pounds, more than I ever weighed before. Doan's Kidney Pills saved me from the grave and restored me to perfect health."

Remember the name—Doan's.

For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

All men are equal before the law, but some are more than equal to the task of getting around it.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules. Easy to take as candy.

Can You Blame Him?

"Pa, what does 'skeptical' mean?"

"That describes a man's feelings when a woman tells her age."

For COLDS and GRIP

Hicks' CAPUDINE is the best remedy—relieves the aching and feverishness—cures the Cold and restores normal conditions. It's liquid—effects immediately. 10c., 25c., and 50c. At drug stores.

Pride.

"Chicago has a lot of local pride, hasn't it?"

"Well," replied Mr. Lakemish; "it depends on whether you are talking about baseball or the grain business."

Reporter in Luck.

City Editor (hurriedly)—Anything new about that suicide in the St. Fashion hotel?

Reporter—Not much. The man was a stranger, about my size. Shot himself with a 32-caliber revolver. Had on a dress suit at the time. The body had been taken to the morgue.

City Editor—'Bout your size. That's lucky. I want you to report a big society wedding in an hour. Rush around to the morgue and ask the keeper to lend you that dress suit.

A Complaint.

"We're for women first, last and all the time. We like her beautiful or plain, clever or just ordinary; witty or not; shapely or pudgy, but confound it, we do wish that each and every one of them would get over the notion that a man has no right to turn the pages of a newspaper just because he's wedged against her in a street car. We've been frozen by a look, stabbed by a sneer and wounded to the quick by a sigh just because we've tried to read the story continued on page seven, column five, and the thing that hurts the most is that we still think that we had a perfect right to do so.—Detroit Free Press.

Strong Preaching.

The minister's eight-year-old daughter was returning with her parents from church, where the district superintendent had that morning occupied the pulpit.

"Oh, father," asked the little girl, her face alive with enthusiasm, "Don't you think Brother C. is a very strong preacher? I do."

"Gratified by this evidence of unusual intelligence on the part of his offspring, the minister eagerly inquired into her reasons for her statement.

"Oh," replied the little miss, artlessly, "didn't you see how the dust rose when he stamped his feet?"—Judge.

STOPPED SHORT

Taking Tonics, and Built Up on Right Food.

The mistake is frequently made of trying to build up a worn-out nervous system on so-called tonics—drugs.

New material from which to rebuild wasted nerve cells is what should be supplied, and this can be obtained only from proper food.

"Two years ago I found myself on the verge of a complete nervous collapse, due to overwork and study, and to illness in the family," writes a Wisconsin young mother.

"My friends became alarmed because I grew pale and thin and could not sleep nights. I took various tonics prescribed by physicians, but their effects wore off shortly after I stopped taking them. My food did not seem to nourish me and I gained no flesh nor blood.

"Reading of Grape-Nuts, I determined to stop the tonics and see what a change of diet would do. I ate Grape-Nuts four times a day, with cream and drank milk also, went to bed early after eating a dish of Grape-Nuts.

"In about two weeks I was sleeping soundly. In a short time gained 20 pounds in weight and felt like a different woman. My little daughter whom I was obliged to keep out of school last spring on account of chronic catarrh has changed from a thin, pale, nervous child to a rosy, healthy girl and has gone back to school this fall.

"Grape-Nuts and fresh air were the only agents used to accomplish the happy results."

Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

IN VOGUE

RIBBON SEWING BAG

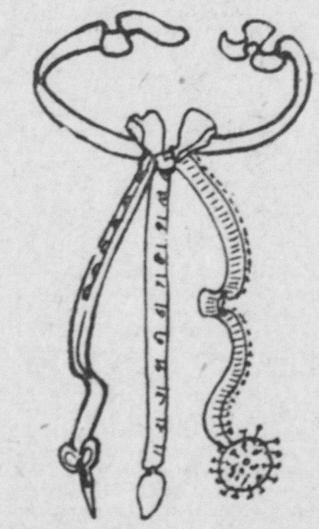
CONVENIENT CASE FOR THOSE WHO CARRY WORK ABOUT.

Ideas Which Will Be Appreciated by the Traveler, the Invalid and the Woman With Very Limited Space.

The traveler, the invalid and the woman with limited space welcome always any new ideas in the way of holders for their sewing, their darning or their embroidery. A few such novel ideas are, therefore, given here.

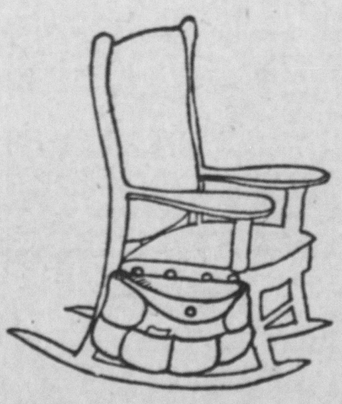
If you do much fancy work on porches or while calling, use the ribbon sewing case shown here. It has a ribbon band which fastens around the waist with hook and eye, and three ribbon hangers (the number can, of course, be increased with your needs).

The first is folded over and stitched into pockets, in each of which there is a spool of cotton or a roll of silk. A pair of scissors is attached at the end. The second is painted as a measuring tape, and has an emery at the bottom. The third is lined with canton flannel and piped with narrow ribbon, and holds a row of pins. At



the end is a cushion for needles. Even the loops at the top may be utilized for such things as pockets for the thimble, buttons, etc.

The invalid will appreciate a large workbag attached to the rungs of her rocking chair. It is made as shown, of dark denim or bright cretonne or chintz, with a row of small pockets at the bottom, a larger buttoned one above, and a wide bag forming the



backing. Each pocket is edged with tape, and the whole is fastened to the chair by means of brass rings and tape.

Uses of Velvet.

Velvet is used in this season's modes in ways that would have been called odd a few years ago. Even white lingerie dresses have borders of velvet, applied like deep hems, and the velvet is used for revers on the gowns.

Another striking combination is to use velvet with the English eyelet embroidery on white linen or cambric. This embroidery is sometimes made up over black silk and bordered with black velvet. Sometimes the velvet is the foundation and the embroidery is used as a sort of tunic.

While black just now is the most popular, the colored velvets seem to be rapidly gaining favor with the fashionable, and they, too, have their share in the sudden popularity of the fabric.

Leather Collar Sets.

Leather collar and cuff sets on tailor-made suits are of course not very new, but they are being revived in the sudden return of leather, and are seen frequently in black patent leather on tweed or covert suits of brown, blue and gray. Sometimes, too, they are in white; one such was worn with a white serge coat, cut in empire style and disclosing a very smart red-and-white striped waistcoat beneath.

PRETTY SILK WAIST

This very attractive waist is of silk draped in batiste fashion and ornamented with straps and buttons. It is trimmed in front with beautiful lace and embroidery and a band of velvet.

The deep yoke is of plain tucked tulle. The short, loose sleeves are bordered with bands of lace.

SEASON OF STYLE CHANGES

Radical Changes in Tailor-Made Suits —Striped and Checked Materials Are Very Popular.

Soutache braiding, mostly used on heavy materials, is now appearing on the fine materials, such as chiffon, mousseline, ninon, etc., the rose, blue and gray shades being particularly lovely. Russian braid trims some of the dresses in ninon, the design being worked in military style.

Striped and checked materials are very popular just now, and they make very charming tailor-made suits. The stripes or checks are either close or widely separated, and in some cases they are used in combination with plain material.

It will be a season of radical changes in tailor-made styles, from the fact that the skirts are all narrow, have one or two models of plaits from the waist, which are tightly strapped in about 12 inches from the bottom.

Early showing of fabrics for suits are mostly tweed and serge, in mixed colorings. Velvets will be extremely fashionable for winter wear, in dark colors, with a fine stripe of another hue.

These elaborate little boleros of embroidery transform a simple gown into ornateness. They look wonderfully smart, too, over a last season's dress, and they are particularly pretty over dresses of soft net.

Bathrobes.

It is getting cold enough now to think of the new bathrobe that serves many women in place of a kimono in winter.

Blanket material is of course a favorite; it is cut perfectly plain, without trimming, and is fastened with a heavy cord and tassel at the waist. Gray, blue and garnet, with white or black, are popular shades.

Ripple elderdown is another staple material, sometimes trimmed with soutache braid or with applique designs in broadcloth.

Turkish toweling in extra thicknesses is seen in the brighter colors, and fleece down and flannelette are not unknown. Many of these are faced or piped with bands of satin in contrasting colors which give them a smartness they would otherwise lack.

Vegetables for Children.

The potato is easily digested.

But it must be in good condition, and well boiled or baked, never fried.

New or waxy potatoes are injurious for children.

Carrot is nutritive, but must be exceedingly well boiled, and only young carrots used.

Almost all green vegetables are excellent, lettuce, spinach and the like.

The above applies only to children above the baby stage.

Chenille Caps.

Parisian women have taken with enthusiasm to the new knitted caps of chenille, mostly in red and other bright colors, very flat, and untrimmed. These are warm, light and pretty, and will be much worn this winter for skating, etc., and as traveling caps. The idea originated with a little girl who sold dolls' caps of this sort at the Paris races.

Sofa Pillows.

When making up a pillow which you have embroidered, introduce a thick sheet of cotton wadding under the cover. Both the appearance and the "feel" of the cushion are improved by this treatment. The same thing applies, of course, to heavy pillows of all sorts, embroidered or otherwise.

THOUGHT SHE HAD PRACTICED

Frenchman's Suspicions Really Something of a Compliment to the Men of America.

Claude Grahame White, the English aviator, praised, at a dinner in New York, the good fellowship of Americans.

"The American woman is regarded abroad as an angel," he said. "The man is admittedly a good fellow, but an angel he is far from being.

"You've heard of the Frenchman perhaps, whose sweetheart spent the summer in America? After her return the poor Frenchman seemed quite blue.

"'What's the matter with you?' a friend asked.

"'I am worried,' the other muttered, 'about my fiancee. You see, since her return from America she kisses so much better than she used to.'"

WHAT?

Weeks—Why are you stopping? You didn't run over that man.

Swiftly—I know it. I just want to see what ails the steering gear.

AN INTOLERABLE ITCHING

"Just about two years ago, some form of humor appeared on my scalp. The beginning was a slight itching but it grew steadily worse until, when I combed my hair, the scalp became raw and the ends of the comb-teeth would be wet with blood. Most of the time there was an intolerable itching, in a painful, burning way, very much as a bad, raw burn, if deep, will itch and smart when first beginning to heal. Combing my hair was positive torture. My hair was long and tangled terribly because of the blood and scabs. This continued growing worse and over half my hair fell out. I was in despair, really afraid of becoming totally bald.

"Sometimes the pain was so great that, when partially awake, I would scratch the worst places so that my finger-tips would be bloody. I could not sleep well and, after being asleep a short time, that awful stinging pain—would commence and then I would wake up nearly wild with the torture. A neighbor said it must be salt rheum. Having used Cuticura Soap merely as a toilet soap before, I now decided to order a set of the Cuticura Remedies—Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills. I used them according to directions for perhaps six weeks, then left off, as the disease seemed to be eradicated, but toward spring, eighteen months ago, there was a slight return of the scalp humor. I commenced the Cuticura treatment at once, so had very little trouble. On my scalp I used about one half a cake of Cuticura Soap and half a box of Cuticura Ointment in all. The first time I took six or seven bottles of Cuticura Pills and the last time three bottles—neither an expensive or tedious treatment. Since then I have had no scalp trouble of any kind. Standing up, with my hair unbound, it comes to my knees and had it not been for Cuticura I should doubtless be wholly bald.

"This is a voluntary, unsolicited testimonial and I take pleasure in writing it, hoping my experience may help someone else. Miss Lillian Brown, R. F. D. 1, Liberty, Me., Oct. 29, 1909."

An Effort to Oblige.

"Mr. Lowbrow does his best to be agreeable," said the sympathetic young woman. "It's too bad that he has so little tact."

"I understand that Miss Coddleyap refuses to speak to him. He sent her a box of candy and she fed it all to her pet terrier. So he tried to be still more kind and thoughtful and sent her a box of dog biscuit."

But is doesn't take long to tame a social lion.

A Sure Sign.

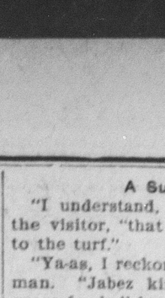
"I understand, Mr. Reuben," said the visitor, "that your son is devoted to the turf."

"Ya-as, I reckon he is," said the old man. "Jabez kin lay down on the grass for hull hours 'thouht makin' no complaint."—Harper's Weekly.

Silence may give consent or it may give offense.

SAVED FROM AN OPERATION

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



De Forest, Wis.—"After an operation four years ago I had pains downward in both sides, backache, and a weakness. The doctor wanted me to have another operation. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I am entirely cured of my troubles."—Mrs. AUGUSTE VESPERMANN, De Forest, Wisconsin.

Another Operation Avoided.

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EVER SINCE.

Virginia—I suppose you and Harry have been thrown together a good deal lately?

Grace—Yes; ever since he got his new automobile.

The Test of Time.

Benjamin Hapgood Burt and U. S. Epperson of Kansas City were motoring in Long Island the other day and stopped at Evan's hotel in Douglaston. They ordered large quantities of raw oysters, some of which were thrown aside by the oyster opener.

"How do you determine when an oyster is bad?" asked Epperson.

"You wait a short time and if you have ptomaine poisoning the oysters were bad," said Mr. Burt. "If you are not ill they were good. That's the only safe way to tell good oysters from bad ones."

Women have been known to shake hands for the purpose of trying to shake secrets out of each other.

There is no help for a man who is too lazy to work his friends.

An Attractive Food

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So Crisp
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So why not order a package from Grocer.

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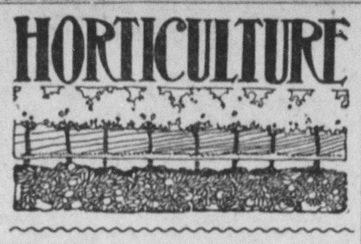
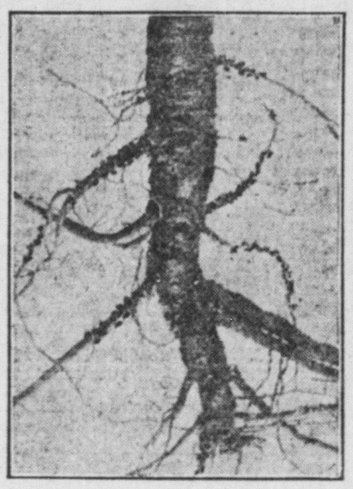


KILLING BLACK PEACH APHIS

Tobacco Applied Liberally in Ground or in Liquid Form Is Best and Safest Remedy.

Black peach aphis is often found in small numbers on nursery trees, especially those grown on light soils. Proper fumigation will kill these lice, but growers generally object to fumigated trees and nurserymen will not as a rule fumigate unless they must. When such infested trees are set out in light land the lice multiply and feed on the small rootlets near the trunk, working outward later as they increase in number. Little trouble is noted during a first season as a rule, but during the early part of the second year the insects become plentiful enough to attract attention. They become noticeable on the leaves of the



Aphis on Roots.

plants in June and are sometimes plentiful enough at that time to cause quite a bunching and crippling of terminal shoots.

Except in this positon they are rarely seen by the fruit grower, who will not ordinarily suspect root insects when the trees begin to turn yellow and look sickly about midsummer.

In dealing with these insects prevention is better than cure. No trees should be set without being carefully examined for root lice and, if any are noticed, the roots should be dipped into a strong tobacco decoction and thoroughly wet. Or they may be dipped into clean water so as to wet thoroughly, then dipped into a pail of tobacco dust so as to powder them thoroughly, and a handful of the dust or ground tobacco should be thrown around the roots before the soil is drawn upon them and pressed down. Nothing is better and safer than tobacco for this purpose, and if this practise is carried out there will be few plant lice left to make trouble.

If this precaution has not been taken and injury develops, the tree should be stimulated by appropriate fertilizers, and there should be, in addition, a liberal application of tobacco dust or ground tobacco in a basin around the trunk of the tree, the dust to be covered over with soil to prevent its being blown away or otherwise disturbed. A decoction may be used instead of the dust, but there should be at least a gallon to a tree if older than two years, and the basin should be deep enough to reach the surface roots.

As the insects do not usually get very far away from the trunk on young trees, the outer circle of the basin need not be much over 18 inches in diameter. The tobacco is in itself a fertilizer and worth almost as much as it costs, as such, so its use secures a double effect. When a tree is once fully established and has reached the bearing age it rarely suffers if it is reasonably well fed and otherwise cared for.

If a tree is killed by these insects, another one should not be set into its place without having a liberal amount of ground tobacco mixed with the soil packed around it.

GUARD AGAINST LATE FROSTS

Strips of Cheesecloth Will Afford Ample Protection to Late Blooming Strawberry Vines.

If your strawberry patch is planted in rows, as is the case in most small gardens, here is a worthy suggestion for protecting the blossoming vines from late frosts:

Take strips of cheesecloth about a foot wide and the length of the rows; if the vines spread to a width, in the row, of more than a foot, increase the width of the strips. Hem across the ends, and at each corner secure pegs about a foot in length, pointed at one end. On evenings when frost seems imminent, cover the rows with these strips; drive or push the pegs into the ground at the end of the rows, until the cheesecloth is about four or five inches above the plants; then unroll the strips, stretching them to the opposite ends of the rows and fasten them down with the other pegs. In this way the plants are sheltered, the covering does not come in contact with them, one does not have to bother with newspapers that have to be weighted down, and the strips are readily rolled up and put out of the way when not needed.

GROW BULBS IN WATER BOWL

Chinese Sacred Lily, Hyacinth or Narcissus May Be Had, and Are Inexpensive.

Have you ever tried growing flowers in a bowl of water? If not, you should try a few this winter. Procure some good bulbs of the Chinese Sacred Lily, Hyacinth or Narcissus and plant them in bowls or deep dishes with sand or pebbles to hold the bulbs in position.

Then pour in clear water until the bulbs are half under water and place in a south window if convenient, or

Bulbs for Winter.

where they will have the benefit of the sunlight. Add water as needed and protect from cold the same as other winter blooming flowers.

All of the above named bulbs and a number of others may be had at any time during the winter and are nearly all of them inexpensive.

Several Hyacinths or Narcissus may be placed in one bowl; from six to ten will give a good result. Only one or two of the Chinese Lily bulbs should be planted in a bowl.

The Chinese Lily is the queen of plants for growing in water. The blossoms are pure white with yellow cup shaped centers measuring one and a half inches in diameter. The last for several weeks and are exceedingly fragrant.

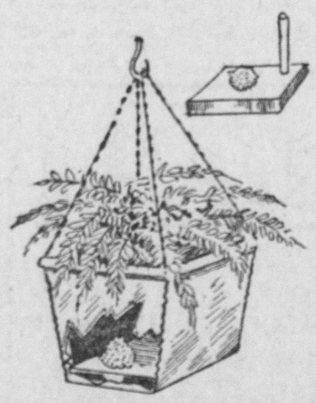
The buds shown in the illustration carry the germs for blossoms for next spring. They are the bulbs for winter indoors blooming. From left to right the bulbs are Jonquil, Chinese Lily, Tulip.

MOISTURE IN FLOWER POTS

Ingenious Arrangement for Supplying Water to Plants Without Trouble of Leakage.

A flower-loving genius has invented a box for supplying moisture to plants in window-boxes, stationary stands or other receptacles by which water may be supplied once a week or even at longer intervals.

The illustration shows that the water is poured into the bottom of the box or pot through a tube in the corner which extends down to the reservoir. This reservoir is from one to two inches deep and on top of it is placed a false bottom which supports the soil. Inserted in the holes to the false bottom are sponges which touch the extreme bottom of the box and ex-



Self-Watering Hanging Basket.

tend upward into the soil in which the flowers are planted. The water is drawn upward through these sponges in sufficient quantities to maintain a uniform moisture in the soil and at the same time sufficient air is supplied with the water to insure giving the plants a thrifty and healthy growth.

This is a perfect application of the principle of sub-irrigation and does away with a great deal of trouble in regard to frequent watering and leaking which the old style pots and wooden boxes entailed.

HORTICULTURAL NOTES

Plants with large leaves should be washed.

Learn to prune, spray and cultivate your trees skilfully.

Fruit growing is a great business when followed properly.

The large chrysanthemum blossom is becoming generally popular.

The cow peas add humus to the soil, which enhances its water holding capacity.

Aside from enriching the soil in nitrogen the cow pea improves its general condition, rendering it more porous.

No flower collects insects more rapidly than ivy, for which reason ivy should be kept out of the collection of rare plants.

During the past 15 years the Catalpa Speciosa has come rapidly to the front on account of its immense value along commercial lines.

It will pay any one interested in fruit growing to study the catalogues of different reliable nurseries and post up on different varieties.

If, after taking the flowers into the house, you discover the troublesome meal bugs, aphis, green flies and itny red spiders, begin at once to kill them.

The currant worm can be effectually destroyed by gathering the leaves containing the young larvae, which may usually be found on the under side of the leaves.

WOULD BE OF MORE VALUE

Father O'Leary's Facetious Rejoinder to John Philpot Curran an Example of Real Wit.

One day the famous John Philpot Curran, who was also very partial to the said corned mutton, did me the honor to meet him. To enjoy the society of such men was an intellectual treat. They were great friends and seemed to have a mutual respect for each other's talent, and, as it may easly be imagined, O'Leary versus Curran was no bad match.

One day after dinner Curran said to him: "Reverend father, I wish you were St. Peter."

"And why, counselor, would you wish that I were St. Peter?" asked O'Leary.

"Because, reverend father, in that case," said Curran, "you would have the keys of heaven, and you could let me in."

"By my honor and conscience, counselor," replied the divine, "it would be better for you that I had the keys of the other place, then I could let you out."

Curran enjoyed the joke, which he admitted had a good deal of justice in it.—From Kelly's Reminiscences.

A Condition, Not a Theory.

A sociologist, in conversation with a practical person from the middle west concerning the labor problem in her part of the country thereby learned the lesson of the situation.

"Are there many men out of work?" he asked.

The lady admitted that there were quite a number.

"What," said he then, "do the unemployed do?"

"Nothing," said the lady. "That's the trouble."—Youth's Companion.

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Capacity.

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Bocker—Five and a cop.

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The average man would not perjure himself if he pleaded guilty to the charge of amounting to but little.

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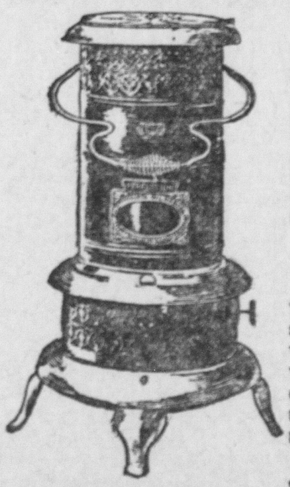

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THE CENTRE REPORTER.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1910

Harris Township

Harry Stuart, of Sandy Ridge, attended to business in Boalsburg recently.

David Stuart, of Bellevue, was a guest of his brother, W. H. Stuart over Sunday.

A. E. Gingerich made a business trip to Huntingdon last week.

Mrs. J. M. Garberic, with her interesting little daughter, Winona, of Bedford, spent a few days among relatives and former associates in this place.

Miss Sadie Coxey, of Altoona, enjoyed a few days at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Nannie Coxey.

Mrs. Harry Shugart, with her little girls, Lucy and Dorothy, of Altoona, visited with relatives at Boalsburg and Shingletown last week.

Mrs. Alice Magoffin, of Boalsburg, and Mrs. George Woods, of Pine Grove Mills, spent a week in Philadelphia, combining business with pleasure.

The first sight to greet our eyes on election day was the Tussey mountain wearing its cap of snow. The weather throughout the day was rough and stormy with occasional snow squalls.

Some of the young people of Boalsburg and vicinity enjoyed Tuesday evening with music and dancing at the town hall, while a number of Mrs. E. A. Fisher's lady friends spent the evening pleasantly at her home. All were waiting to hear the returns of the election.

Our farmers as well as all others who are willing to help are engaged in husking corn which in this section is the best crop in three years. A few farmers have finished this work.

Miss Anna Sweeney is spending this week at Lemont.

The meetings held in the Presbyterian church on Saturday were very interesting. Prof. Mairs, of State College, was one of the speakers of the evening. He emphasized the importance of teaching agriculture in the township high schools, so that the farmer's sons and daughters will be fitted for the vocation of farming, as only a small percent. become college graduates. The population of the United States is increasing rapidly, therefore it is highly important that those who are willing to till, the soil, should be mentally as well as physically qualified for the work.

Pleasant Gap.

Grandma Hile is no better at this writing.

Quite a shower of post cards were tendered Roy Coldren, of this place, in honor of his twenty-first birthday.

Edgar Zeigler, of Altoona, is spending a few days with his parents at this place.

Merrill Gill, of State College, spent Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gentzel returned to their home in Altoona after spending a week here with their parents.

Herbart Showers is laid up with a sore arm.

The "Cradle Roll" service held in the Lutheran church was well attended on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Weaver and daughter, Mrs. Edward Wolf, spent Saturday afternoon with friends in Centre Hall.

Sixteen of Gerald Millwards' little friends gave him a surprise on Saturday afternoon last, that being his birthday. He received many nice presents. Those present were: Misses Mary Hile, Vera Hile, Mary McClinsey, Isabella Fleck, Anna May Lambert, Tamazine Kerstetter, Beatrice Noll, Ruth Dunklebarger, Alice Herman, Ruth Herman, Henrietta Gettig, Helen Grenoble, Gerald Evey, Martin Fleck, Musser Irvin. They all had a delightful time, and on departing wished him many more happy birthdays.

LOCALS.

The election is over, and, as is always the case, the voters did not think alike, and even now some of the minority think the majority did not use the best judgment.

James B. Strohm advertises sale of all his farm stock, implements, etc., on his farm, at Centre Hill, Friday, 25th inst. See sale register and posters.

Frank Gfrerer, who was recently struck by a bicycle, has pretty well recovered, and after being confined to bed for three or four days is now able to be about.

Although the Reporter does not have it direct, it is said Jacob Lee, of Harrisburg, will occupy the Strohm farm, at Centre Hill, recently purchased by James C. Goodhart.

A bunch of unhulled rice straw hangs in the Reporter window. The product was brought from Arkansas by William Roseman, the Oak Hall station agent. Many people have already examined it, and some were very much surprised at the manner in which it grows.

On hearing of the serious condition of his father, William N. Hosterman, of Fort Wayne, Indiana, came east on Monday to be at his bedside. Mr. Hosterman is an electrician and is employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company as a motor inspector. He has been located in Fort Wayne for ten years.

Rebersburg.

Victor Brungart was the first to butcher in this vicinity this fall. Mr. Brungart intends to salt and smoke his meat and take it with him to Texas, where he will move some time in December.

Reuben Stover, a life long resident and proprietor of the Stover hotel at the extreme east end of this valley, is at this writing lying at the point of death from infirmities of old age.

The shingles have been placed on the grounds of the United Evangelical church, at this place, and the new roof will be put on the church as soon as the weather permits.

One night last week a horse belonging to Clayton Weaver so injured himself that he had to be killed. The animal got loose during the night, went to a stable door and in pawing got one of his feet fastened under the door. In its efforts to extricate itself, the animal fell, breaking the hip bone and inflicted other injuries. This is the second horse Mr. Weaver lost during the past month.

Scott Burd and wife, of Bellwood, who were visiting in this vicinity for the past week, have returned home.

Lumber for a new stable has been placed on the lot of the Reformed parsonage.

C. H. Bierly has moved his saw mill to near Wolfs Store on a tract of timber land which he bought from Mrs. Reuben Kreamer.

Mrs. Clement Gramley is at present confined to her bed with a slight attact of typhoid fever.

Aaronsburg.

Lulu Winkleblech and daughter Ruth, and Mrs. Kizzie Swabb spent Saturday at Coburn with Ezra Burd.

Mrs. Robert Burd is visiting her cousin, William Burd, at Wolfs Chapel.

Bell Springer and her girl friend, Mae Musser, spent part of the Sabbath with the former lady's grandma Shreffler, and Howard Acker.

One of our enterprising young men living on north second street is having his house weather boarded and other improvements made. John Durst knows how to do it.

Bertha Musser returned home from Bellefonte, for a few days.

Harry Crouse and wife are spending a few days with the lady's parents, at Winfield, Union county.

Harry Evert, of Coburn, and his aunt, Mrs. Reed, of Montandon, were the welcome guests of Mrs. Keener and Mrs. Eidelman.

Orvis Gramley, who was employed for the last four years by his cousin, Miller Stover, returned home last week to attend school.

Alice Acker left again Monday morning for Mifflinburg, where she will spend the winter months with her sister Mrs. Beyer.

Michael Ream moved into the home of the Bower heirs.

Mrs. Sara Shreffler, an aged lady, is having her household goods moved to Millheim into the Mrs. Springer house.

Matt. Swabb and his friend, Mr. Brown, of Johnstown, are paying the former's mother a visit for a few days. Their purpose in coming now is to hunt game.

Gurney Wert is slowly improving.

Roll Kreamer bought a house and lot from Z. D. Thomas for three hundred dollars, the same was formerly the John Frank property.

Colyer.

James Lindsey and son Frank, Charles Gonder and two gentlemen, of Pittsburg, are visiting friends and also enjoying the hunting season.

Thomas F. Farner and Stephen Smith, of Philadelphia, and William Fleisher, of Mifflin county, are visiting their respective homes and while here are giving their time to chasing wild game.

Mrs. Edward Horner and children, of Peru, came to spend a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bubb. While here Mrs. Horner took very sick, and is now under the doctor's care.

Misses Blanche Reiber and Ada Meese spent Sunday with friends at Centre Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Thomas returned home, after spending several weeks with friends in Philadelphia and New York. They were accompanied home by Mr. Henderson, of New York, a brother of Mrs. Thomas.

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